

WEATHER FORECAST
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate northeast wind, shifting to easterly; mostly fair and moderately cold tonight.
Vancouver and vicinity—Light to moderate shifting winds; partly cloudy; light frosts at night.

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BRITISH AND FRENCH IN FULL SOLIDARITY STRIVING FOR PEACE

Successful Discussion Held in London by Premiers And Foreign Ministers of Two Nations—Not Ready to Grant Any Political or Territorial Demands of Germany

LONDON, Nov. 29 (P).—The Premiers and Foreign Ministers of Great Britain and France decided today in a "successful" eight-hour discussion of major world problems that they were not yet ready to grant any German political or territorial demands.

French Premier Chamberlain said the British and French ministers were in "full solidarity" in their search for peace. "We made a tour of the world," he said as he left Prime Minister Chamberlain's official residence.

OFFICIAL ACCOUNT
The diplomats appeared pleased with their first day's work and authorized this official five-point account of the conference:

1. France fully understood the limited scope of Lord Halifax's exploratory talk with Chancellor Hitler and agreed with Great Britain it fulfilled its purpose.
2. The ministers discussed the colonial question in all its aspects and agreed it required further examination.
3. Both Governments expressed themselves as concerned for preservation of peace in Central Europe and discussed Germany's ambitions there.
4. They also expressed their appreciation of the "seriousness" of the Chinese-Japanese War and their "need for vigilance" to safeguard their interests.

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COMMISSION AT WINNIPEG

Manitoba Suggests New Division of Provincial and Federal Responsibilities

WINNIPEG, Nov. 29 (P).—A detailed programme of legislative and financial adjustments between Dominion and Provincial Governments was proposed today before the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations by the Manitoba Government as its contribution toward a solution of basic government problems brought to a head by depression and drought.

Without pomp or ceremony in its first public appearance, the five-man commission quickly swung into its stride in its historic task of re-examining the whole structure of government in the Canadian Federation.

Member-Elect for Victoria



R. W. MAYHEW
Liberal, Who Was Elected Member of Parliament for Victoria Yesterday by a Plurality of 1,800, in a Three-Cornered Contest to Fill the Seat Made Vacant by the Death of Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie.

Quebec Storm Does Heavy Damage, But No Person Injured

ROUYN, Que., Nov. 29 (P).—A blizzard that swept Northwestern Quebec last night caused thousands of dollars of property damage and disrupted communication in Rouyn-Noranda district. No one was injured. At Rouyn, strong winds toppled part of a new brick wall of a theatre and sent it crashing through the roof of an adjoining store.

SEES RESULT AS MANDATE

Mackenzie King Says Verdict of Victoria Electors Unmistakeable

OTTAWA, Nov. 29 (P).—"The answer given Mr. Bennett (Conservative leader) by the electors of Victoria is unmistakable," Prime Minister Mackenzie King declared tonight in commenting on the victory of R. W. Mayhew, Liberal, in the Victoria by-election.

"It may be taken as expressing the views of all Canada. So far as our country is concerned, the days of economic nationalism and economic imperialism are past."

Mr. Mackenzie King issued the following prepared statement:

"The election of the Government candidate in today's contest in Victoria constitutes the most emphatic endorsement of the policies of the Liberal administration."

"Mr. Mayhew is the first Liberal member to be returned to the House of Commons for Victoria in three decades, and the fourth in the riding in the period since Confederation. His election has been achieved in a three-cornered contest, and in the face of the strongest opposition from the Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, the leader of the Conservative party, and his followers, and from the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation."

"The policies and record of the present Government were the issues throughout the campaign."

TRADE AGREEMENT
"The confidence expressed in the present administration is all the more significant in view of the fact that Mr. Bennett traveled to Victoria to inject into the campaign, as an additional issue, the possible negotiations of a trade agreement between the United Kingdom and Canada."

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AIR OFFENSIVES ARE REPORTED

Intensive Bombings Near Madrid Thought to Indicate Major Drive

MADRID, Nov. 29 (P).—Government army headquarters tonight officially denied military reports of insurgent air raid caused almost 100 casualties in Guadalajara, thirty miles northeast of Madrid.

The Government communiqué said thirty insurgent planes flew over the city but Guadalajara authorities declared no projectiles were dropped.

NARROWLY ESCAPE DEATH IN SLIDE

Cars Pass From Each End of Avalanche as Debris Piles Up on Chukkan Drive

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Nov. 29 (P).—Two members of Washington state highway maintenance patrol narrowly missed death late today when, tons of rock and earth crashed down on Chukkan Drive, ten miles south of Bellingham.

The slide blocked 4,500 feet of highway and about 1,800 feet of the Great Northern Railway tracks below. The avalanche took out a portion of a retaining wall and totally disabled the toll lines of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company.

J. N. Whelan, in a state truck had just driven past the point when he heard the shock and looked back to see the slide crashing down on the road. Gerhard Larson, whom he had just passed, escaped with his life on the other side of the slide.

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ROBERT W. MAYHEW, LIBERAL WINS BY-ELECTION IN VICTORIA

Shot Dead In Mistake For Moose

SMITHERS, B.C., Nov. 29 (P).—British Columbia police left this northern town today to recover the body of Fred Cook, fatally shot yesterday when mistaken for a moose as he walked through the brush on nearby Hudson Bay Mountain.

Cook, an old-time resident of Smithers, was hunting with his son and William Duff when the younger man shot and wounded a moose.

The elder Cook was following the trail of the animal when Duff sighted him moving through the brush in a crouched position, and according to reports to police, fired at him thinking it was the wounded animal.

Mackenzie King Takes a Holiday

OTTAWA, Nov. 29 (P).—Looking forward to a fortnight's rest and complete freedom from all cares of office, Prime Minister Mackenzie King left Ottawa tonight for an unnamed destination in Florida. He declared his visit to the United States had "no national or international significance," and that he did not expect to see President Roosevelt.

THREE KILLED IN FARM HOME

Alleged Slayer Takes Own Life After Axe Killings in Saskatchewan

PELLEY, Sask., Nov. 29 (P).—Royal Canadian Mounted Police tonight delved into what they described as a triple murder and suicide case, which left George Severight, thirty-five, dead from a bullet wound, and three other victims of an axe.

Detective-Corporal R. H. Walker, of R.C.M.P., began the investigation after finding bodies of Severight's mother-in-law, Mrs. George Caldwell, forty; his wife, Edith, twenty-three, and Gerald, eighteen-month-old son, in the farmyard three-quarters of a mile north of here.

CHASERS ATTACKER AWAY

Severight, a resident of the Cote Indian Reserve, left his home; rode on horseback a short distance to his father-in-law's home. Mr. Caldwell, the father-in-law, said Severight swung an axe at him, but that he was able to chase his attacker away.

Then Severight is said to have dashed three miles to his father's home, where he killed his parents' goody. He went to the yard where, police said, he shot himself with a gun borrowed from another neighbor to "kill a coyote." Police said the first shot wasn't fatal, but Severight then walked around the house and fired a second shot, from which he died almost instantly.

PARALYSIS IN BERMUDA

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Nov. 29 (P).—Medical authorities of Bermuda announced today that children under twelve years of age should not attend social gatherings because of cases of infantile paralysis reported on the island.

LATE NEWS BULLETINS

JAPANESE TO RECOGNIZE SPANISH REBELS
TOKYO, Nov. 29 (Tuesday) (P).—The Japanese Cabinet announced today that Japan would recognize formally tomorrow, the Spanish insurgent regime of Generalissimo Francisco Franco.

QUEBEC OFFERING \$15,000,000 ISSUE
MONTREAL, Nov. 29 (Tuesday) (P).—Public offerings will be made today of \$15,000,000 in Province of Quebec bonds, part of a \$25,000,000 issue, of which the balance has been sold. Proceeds of the loan will be used to retire present short-term borrowings and for general purposes.

HEAVY FOG BLANKETS VANCOUVER CITY
VANCOUVER, Nov. 29 (Tuesday) (P).—One woman was taken to hospital from a street car automobile smash, traffic slowed to a crawl and movement of shipping halted early today as a heavy, patchy fog blanketed the city.

DANGEROUS TO WRITE LETTERS TO SOVIET
BERLIN, Nov. 29 (CP-Havas).—Germans were requested tonight to refrain from corresponding with relatives or friends in the Soviet Union. Such correspondence, a communiqué issued by the official German News Agency said, "brings about great danger and difficulties for those receiving it in the Soviet Union."

TEAR GAS BOMB EXPLODES AT RECITAL
ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 29 (P).—Explosion of a tear gas bomb, dropped by an unidentified person, interrupted a recital by Fritz Kreisler, the violinist, at the University of Michigan, tonight.

Spreading fumes from the bomb caused many of the audience of 5,000 to leave their seats hastily. Several persons were so nauseated, they could not return to the auditorium.

Is Elected a Member of House of Commons Over Conservative and C.C.F. Candidates—Obtains Plurality of 1,797 After Unofficial Count Of Largest Poll in Victoria's History

Member-Elect Makes Gains In Most Parts of Riding

GREATER Victoria, Conservative for nearly thirty years, changed its political complexion yesterday when electors of the Federal riding, comprising Victoria City, Oak Bay, Esquimalt and a small section of Saanich, went to the polls after a bitterly-contested by-election and chose Robert W. Mayhew, a Liberal, to represent them in the House of Commons for the unexpired term of the late Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie.

The gain in voting strength by the Liberals was the big feature of the voting. They rolled up close to 3,500 more votes than they did in the 1936 by-election when Dr. Tolmie was elected by some ninety votes over the C.C.F. candidate.

GETS BIG PLURALITY

Mr. Mayhew secured an unofficial total of 9,204, to beat Bruce A. McKelvie, Conservative, by 1,797, and the C.C.F. candidate, Dr. J. B. A. McKelvie, polled 7,407. These figures, however, are subject to change with the official count and the addition of four more polls unreported last night. There were 143 polling stations in the riding and 139 reported.

In the 1936 general election, the late Dr. B. Plunkett, Conservative, was elected with a majority of 2,016. In the 1935 general election he was again returned with a majority of 1,023, in a three-man contest. In 1936 Dr. Tolmie also ran against a Liberal and a C.C.F. and nosed out with a bare ninety votes with, however, a much smaller aggregate vote.

The total vote cast yesterday was said to be the largest in the election history of the city. The unofficial figure was 23,011 out of a

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CANDIDATES APPRECIATIVE

Express Gratitude for Support—Premier King Congratulates Victor

When the result of the Federal by-election was known early last night, all three candidates expressed appreciation of the support accorded to them in messages to the people of Victoria.

R. W. MAYHEW
The text of the message given by Robert W. Mayhew, Liberal standard bearer who headed the polls, was as follows:

"My first word to the electors must be one of most heartfelt thanks for the confidence in me which they have shown by the magnificent vote they have polled in my favor."

"Whether I had won or lost, this campaign would in any event have lived in my memory because of the evidence of friendship I received in the support freely offered from so many people everywhere. I cannot find words at all sufficient to express my gratitude. I hope the electors will all take this as an expression of my personal thanks."

"I want also to thank my opponents for the clean sporting campaign they have waged. I have endeavored as they have so successfully avoided anything that would leave any ill feeling in the days to come. Again let me say I have the kindest feelings toward both Mr. McKelvie and Mr. King Gordon, and thank them for their gentlemanly campaign."

MANCHUKUO TO BE RECOGNIZED

Italy to Install Legation in Empire Carved Out of Manchuria

ROME, Nov. 29 (P).—Italy today honored its anti-Communism pact with Japan by formal recognition of Manchukuo, so-called independent empire Japan carved out of Chinese Manchuria in 1932.

The action legitimized Italy's virtual recognition of Manchukuo last January, a month after Japan had accorded de facto recognition to the Italian conquest of Ethiopia.

Italy announced the step in a cable from Count Galeazzo Ciano, Foreign Minister, to Japanese Foreign Minister Koki Hirota.

"I am happy to inform your excellency that the Government has decided to give formal recognition to Manchukuo and to install a legation in that state."

Netherlands Prince Hurt In Collision

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 29 (P).—Prince Bernhard, consort of Crown Princess Juliana, was injured painfully today when his speeding automobile crashed with a heavy truck loaded with sand.

At Burgher Hospital in Amsterdam, where a gash in his face was stitched, Bernhard was said to be suffering from a slight concussion. His condition was understood to be satisfactory.

SAYS BIG HOTEL TO BE COMPLETED

Minister Announces Sixteen-Story Structure at Vancouver to Be Opened in 1939

VANCOUVER, Nov. 29 (P).—Vancouver tonight had the promise of a "Federal Cabinet Minister" the massive Canadian National Hotel, started some years ago, would be completed and officially opened by 1939.

Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Defence Minister, announced today he had received word from Transport Minister C. D. Howe remaining work on the grey stone and concrete structure would be proceeded with almost at once.

The sixteen-story, \$9,000,000 building has been finished, apart from the interior of the ground floor.

AUSTRALIA HAS NEW CABINET

Prime Minister Lyons Sworn In For Third Term of Office

CANBERRA, Nov. 29 (P).—Prime Minister Joseph Lyons prepared tonight to grapple with Australia's problems of defence and trade after ceremonial in which his new Cabinet took their oaths of office.

Returned to power in last month's general election, which produced small change in the Government's majority in the House of Representatives, but cut the margin in the Senate to a mere three seats, the Coalition Government of Mr. Lyons' United Australia Party and the Country Party was formed on the same lines as before.

Earl C. G. Page, leader of the Country Party, retained his post at the Commerce Ministry and, in addition, took over the portfolio of health.

NOTABLE ABSENTEES

Except for two notable absentees, the reorganized Cabinet showed few changes. Sir George Pearce, Minister for External Affairs in the previous Government, had failed to retain his seat in the Senate, while Sir Archibald Parkhill, former Minister of Defence, also was defeated.

W. M. Hughes, former Prime Minister and Minister for Health and Repatriation in the last Cabinet, replaced Sir George Pearce and H. V. Thorby, formerly a minister without portfolio, went to the Defence Ministry.

H. S. Poll became Minister for Repatriation, and J. McEwen succeeded T. Patterson as Minister for the Interior.

Wife of Bishop Still Unconscious

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Nov. 29 (P).—Fears of a pneumatic complication in condition of Mrs. Walter Burd were expressed by attending physicians tonight as the wife of the Anglican Bishop of Saskatchewan passed her eighteenth hour of unconsciousness from head injuries suffered Friday in an automobile accident.

Bishop Burd was reported making satisfactory progress toward recovery from injuries suffered at the same time.

Almost Unimpeded in Progress on Nanking Is Japanese Report

Chinese Falling Back on Nearly All Battle Fronts—Situation in Shanghai Eased by Agreement With Foreign Customs Officials

SHANGHAI, Nov. 30 (P).—Japan's army reported today its columns were pursuing retreating Chinese to fortified lines close to Nanking itself after capture of three important strongholds.

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Saanich Man Fatally Hurt Near Alberni

Provincial Police report that William Thomas Richard Chapman, thirty-four, 68 Regina Avenue, Saanich, was killed yesterday afternoon in Stewart & Welch's logging camp on Franklin River, near Port Alberni. Details are lacking.

The late Mr. Chapman was born in England, arriving here in 1912. He is survived by his father, R. W. Chapman, at home, a stepmother, and a sister, Mrs. Marjorie Estelle Watson, also of this city.

An inquest will be held at Port Alberni this morning.

EXTENSIVE POWERS

"Subject to the approval of the Minister-Governor-in-Council, the Minister of Agriculture, may make regulations:

A.—Establishing grades for any fruit, vegetable, or honey;

B.—Providing for the inspection, grading, packaging, and packing, marking, handling, shipping, transportation, or advertising of fruit.

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WIDER POWERS ON MARKETING

New Deal for Control of Agriculture Advanced in B.C. Legislature

British Columbia's new deal on marketing received second reading yesterday afternoon in the British Columbia Legislature, unopposed, on the explanation of Hon. K. C. MacDonald that the bill "contained no new principle." Under the title of "an act respecting the grading of fruit, vegetables and honey," the bill applies to all fruit and vegetables grown in British Columbia and contains the following express powers:

WINS TITLE FOR RYE

M. G. Towell, of Saltspring, B.C., was awarded the rye crown, but A. Monaghan, of Pincher Creek, Alta., lost his timothy crown when officials discovered he was ineligible because he won the award three times. Timothy laurels went to Forest H. Ford, of Tipton, Iowa.

British Columbia clung to the red Spring wheat class.

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HELP YOUR CITY

PAY YOUR 1937 TAXES BEFORE WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1, and SAVE 3%

The Real Estate Board of Victoria

CHANGE MADE IN TAX RULE

Canadians to Pay 5 Per Cent On Income From United States Sources

OTTAWA, Nov. 29 (C)—Canadian residents who derive income from United States sources will pay a flat 5 per cent income tax, to be deducted at the source; but residents of other countries who draw income from American sources, through Canadian agencies, will be taxed 10 per cent.

This is the effect of a new regulation issued today by Revenue Minister Liley, following conferences with American Treasury officials.

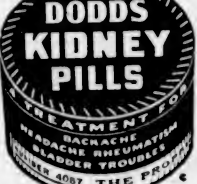
Previously, the United States imposed a tax of 10 per cent on the income of residents derived from foreign sources. Canada's corresponding rate was 5 per cent. In the negotiations this country asked the United States to bring its rate down, so far as persons deriving their income from Canada were concerned, to the Canadian figure.

AVOID TAX DODGING

The American officials agreed. They pointed out, however, that would be an encouragement for persons residing in other countries to establish "fiscal agents" in Canada, in order to get the advantage of the 5 per cent rate. Canada's response has been to notify all concerned that for Canadian residents, drawing income from the United States, the income tax figure will be 5 per cent; but if the money is collected in Canada for the purpose of being sent out of the country, an additional 5 per cent has to be collected. This action establishes income tax reciprocity between the two countries so far as their respective nationals are concerned, and also maintains the balance up to the 10 per cent rate in cases affecting non-residents of Canada, who derive income from the United States.

A Sunday school teacher was giving a lesson on the Fall. Question: "Have you ever wondered why it was a woman who first tasted the forbidden fruit and thus brought sin into the world?" Dead silence. "Come now, why wasn't it a man?"

Bright little girl: "Please, teacher, wasn't the story written by a man?"



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New Premises for Dominion Bank



The modern building to be erected for the Dominion Bank on the corner of Yates and Douglas Streets, and the bank's old premises, which are shortly to be torn down to make way for the new structure, are contrasted in the above pictures. That on top is the architect's impression of the new bank when completed. The building, which is to cost between \$80,000 and \$90,000, is to be ready in October, 1938. Meanwhile, the Dominion Bank will occupy temporary premises.

AN HONEST CONFESSION

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 29 (AP).—Officials of the State Department of Employment have received what they describe as one of the most honest confessions ever made on an employer's registration form.

Answer to questions on the form were:
1. When did you commence business? "One day when I went nuts."
2. From whom did you purchase it? "A fellow who was smarter'n me."
3. His address? "He's left the country!"

COUNCIL SEEKS CURRENT GRANT

Application to Be Made to Government for Agricultural Buildings Aid

At a brief meeting of the City Council yesterday morning, Alderman W. T. Strath stated no grant for the current year relative to buildings erected at Willow Park for the British Columbia Agricultural Association had been made by the Provincial Government. J. A. Macdonald, city comptroller and treasurer, asserted an application for the grant would be made in due course. The explanation satisfied Alderman Strath.

A communication was received from the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa in reply to the letter from the council asking that Alderman Strath or some other representative of the council might be allowed to make representations on the ground to the engineer of the department relative to the location of a proposed floating landing for fishing boats in Victoria Harbor. The letter stated that the engineer of the department would be glad to receive any representations.

It was decided to send a letter of appreciation to Hon. John Hart in regard to the interest manifested by him in connection with property owners on relief who required consideration in the matter of tax payments. A letter referring to the same relief situation from the Department of Labor was turned over to the relief committee. The letter

asked for delay in dealing with the matter until the Legislature rose.

JOHN DEAN LETTER

A letter from John Dean recommending that the city ask for outside power companies to make application to serve the City of Victoria was referred to the franchise committee.

The council, on the recommendation of the building inspector, approved of the alterations proposed to be made by the Cameron Investment and Securities Company, Ltd., for the strengthening foundations of a building at the corner of View and Vancouver Streets.

The health committee will consider a report received by the medical health officer of the city relative to a questionnaire from the provincial health officer preparatory to the sitting of a Royal Commission. The questions dealt with included whether the municipality felt it could carry on health services without further help, whether supplementary assistance would enable the carrying on of the work and various other questions.

On the nomination of the mayor, Alderman John A. Worthington was elected chairman of the health committee of the council for the remainder of the year.

TOURIST TRADE PAYS B.C. WELL

Province Enjoys Largest Business Per Unit of Population of Any Section

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (C)—British Columbia enjoys "the largest tourist business per unit of population of any province in the Dominion," according to R. A. Hutchison, secretary-manager of the Vancouver Tourist Association.

At the association's annual meeting here, Hutchison said 1,300,000 tourists had visited the province and spent \$32,000,000 here, \$19,000,000 of this amount being left in Greater Vancouver.

He said that at the end of October there had been an increase of about 30 per cent in automobile travel through the ports of entry on the international boundary leading to Vancouver over the same period last year.

TOUGH EVEN FOR FARMERS

Two farmers, who had just enough brass for a good slap-up feed, entered a high-class restaurant. They hadn't been eating long when one exclaimed, "Hey, Jim, these oysters are terrible."

EXAMINING SCHOOLING

Minister of Education Describes Personnel and Purpose of Inquiry

Hon. Dr. G. M. Weir announced yesterday the composition of the committee investigating Greater Victoria schools and their teachers. The Minister of Education said, in part:

"A committee of school inspectors, and others has been named to conduct a survey of the schools of Greater Victoria, including the City of Victoria and the District Municipalities of Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Saanich. The chairman is William Gray, municipal inspector of schools for North Vancouver and West Vancouver.

"He will be assisted by Inspector H. H. MacKenzie as vice-chairman, and the following: Albert Sullivan and J. B. DeLong, inspectors of high schools, and C. G. Brown, municipal inspector of schools, Burnaby; who will evaluate the work in senior high schools; Inspectors A. S. Matheson and H. McArthur, whose work will be chiefly in connection with the Junior High School at Victoria; also Inspectors C. H. Deane, F. G. Calvert, V. Z. Manning, F. A. Jewett, J. E. Brown. In special subjects, the committee will have the help of W. K. Beech, principal, Fairview High School of Commerce, Vancouver; John Kyle, director of technical education, Victoria; and R. B. Vaughan, principal, T. J. Trapp Technical School, New Westminster. Miss M. McManus, music specialist in the Provincial Normal School, Vancouver; the principals of the two Normal Schools, A. R. Lord and V. L. Denton, will render advice and assistance.

PURPOSE OUTLINED

"The committee will report on the efficiency of the teaching service, and will appraise the quality of school accommodation, facilities for laboratory work, school libraries, practical arts and physical training. Among other matters that will come under the scrutiny of the committee are the following:

- (a) The grading and classification of pupils.
- (b) The qualifications of the teachers and their professional growth.
- (c) The adequacy of the courses now being offered in the schools.
- (d) The advisability of extending the Junior High School system.
- (e) The quality of supervision, both administrative and educational.
- (f) The advantages of advantages of a Greater Victoria school area.
- (g) School costs and methods of school accounting as well as possible school economies.

"School boards, municipal councils, as well as other organizations and individuals, are invited to present their views on educational matters to Mr. Gray, the chairman of the committee, who will have a temporary office in the Welles Building, Government Street."

ASKS CLUB TO ASSIST YOUTH

Nelson McEwen Seeks Interest of Gyros in Boys' Work in Victoria

"I like to work with boys, but I prefer to engage in boys' work in partnership with men," Nelson McEwen, YMCA national boys' work secretary, Montreal, told members of the Gyro Club, in urging them to take an interest in youth, at their luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel, yesterday.

The speaker pointed out that groups engaging in boys' work must not expect immediate results. It was only after a period of fifteen or twenty years, he continued, that the results are realized.

Boys of today were living in a different kind of world than when their fathers and mothers were raised, he explained, due to the advancement of science and the world generally, thus giving them a different understanding.

As a result of this, the speaker listed eight privileges the boy of today should enjoy.

HELPFUL RECREATION

Firstly, every boy had a right to helpful recreation; a chance to play. In this regard, Mr. McEwen said all youngsters should be taught to swim and life-saving. Every boy had the right to camp, where he could

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Women's Full-Fashioned Silk and Wool Stockings. All the wanted colors. Excellent quality. SALE PRICE 89¢ |
| XMAS SPECIAL NO. 5
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Girl's Raincoats All Sizes
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receive an experience in living by meeting with other boys.
The right to belong to some group should be given every lad. Mr. McEwen added. This would give them an atmosphere outside of the home. Of vital importance, he declared, was the right of a boy to an education. In this connection, it was more important for a boy to know how to think, instead of knowing what to think. "Youth should also realize the dignity of work," he asserted.
Other rights of youth were those of responsibility, the chance to express one's personality, and the right of a personal philosophy of life, Mr. McEwen stated.
The speaker was introduced by William Clark and thanked by President Everett Taylor.

TRUE TO TYPE

Drowning Man—Quick! Throw me a lifebelt!
Tailor—Certainly, sir. What size waist?

GYROS TO HOLD DINNER MEETING

Next Monday evening the Gyro Club will hold an evening meeting in Terry's, commencing at 7 o'clock. It will be a dinner for members and their wives. A. E. Osborough is in charge of the affair, at which a motion picture will be shown, which will be followed by dancing and bridge.

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A couple of men were playing a golf match, but not very seriously, for they managed to get a good deal of fun from the encounter. The climax came at a hole where one of them, attempting a terrific drive, saw the head of his club sail away at the end of yards of "whipping" and fall into a stream. "Now look here," said his opponent, "in mock annoyance, 'which is it going to be—golf or fishing?'"

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Tuesday, November 30, 1937

YESTERDAY'S BY-ELECTION RESULT

Victoria's by-election has come and gone and the city has changed its political allegiance with the victory, and by a substantial majority, of Mr. R. W. Mayhew, the Liberal candidate. What operated in the minds of those voters who placed Mr. Mayhew at the head of the poll was a desire to be on the side of the Government and to be participants in whatever favors are dispensed. This was the outstanding plea made by the successful party, and unquestionably the appeal was heeded, for there was a turnover in votes larger than expected.

Mr. Mayhew, who is a business man and highly respected, should make a good member. He insisted throughout his campaign that he is not a politician, and this fact, perhaps, will prove of value to the constituents. Personally he conducted a clean campaign and dealt with issues as he saw them in a logical way. The assistance he received from two Cabinet Ministers from Ottawa proved very helpful and further emphasized to the voters the appeal to send a representative to Ottawa to sit on the side of the House from which political outlays are disbursed.

The issue of the Ottawa trade agreements must be regarded as having played its part in the campaign. It was brought to the fore by the Conservative candidate, spoken of forcibly at three different meetings by Mr. R. B. Bennett, the Conservative leader, and dealt with, indeed, by all the speakers on the Conservative side. The voters, however, did not regard it as of sufficient importance, and probably will not until the harmful results of any wiping out of the British preferences are experienced. So far as Victoria's verdict is concerned, the Federal Government can regard it as an indication that it can make sacrifices in order to promote a trade treaty between the United States and the United Kingdom.

Mr. McKelvie, the Conservative candidate, can have no cause for regrets over the character of the campaign. He had an excellent issue and spoke of it with a full understanding and showed himself as well versed in other political problems of the Dominion. In comparison to the two main political parties, the C.C.F. showed some weakness, though Mr. J. K. Gordon, the candidate, polled a strong vote, his total being a little more than in the last by-election. There were, however, 2,000 more voters to the list than last year, a fact which seems to have proved of the greatest help to the Liberals.

Under the three-party system it seems impossible for any candidate in a Federal election here to obtain a majority of the votes cast. That has been the case ever since the C.C.F. entered the political field. Mr. Mayhew, we have no doubt, will regard himself as the representative of all the people, even though he polled only some 40 per cent of the votes cast.

ITINERANT MINISTERS

Complaints are arising in Alberta because of the peripatetic habits of the members of the Cabinet of Premier Aherhart. The Public Accounts show that for the fiscal year ending March 31 last the sum of \$302,887 was spent in travelling expenses by members of that Government and officials. As in British Columbia, much of this expenditure can be traced to political activities of the partisan variety. Members of the two Cabinets go to and fro throughout their territories with a view to consolidating political friendships. Few tours are undertaken without their concomitants of political speeches, and because of this much of the time which should be devoted to administrative duties is spent in the preparation of addresses designed to forward the fortunes of the parties in power.

There is an impression becoming confirmed by repeated happenings that too large a share of public money is spent for the purposes of party propaganda. In this Province the Cabinet Ministers have established a long distance record for absence from their duties, the result of which has been evidenced by the belated appearance of the present session of the Legislature. In Alberta complaints about the peregrinations of Cabinet Ministers are even more insistent than in British Columbia, although there is altogether more partisan activity of the character evidenced in this Province. Last week Messrs. Manning and Tanner, of the Aherhart Cabinet, spent three days in Lethbridge speaking on behalf of the Social Credit candidate in a by-election there. Mr. Solon Low, another Cabinet Minister, gave a party speech in Vegreville last week, spoke with Premier Aherhart at the Ponoka Constituency Association and plans to speak again on Social Credit at Whitford on December 7. Mr. Fallow has been campaigning at Minburn. Mr. Maynard is on a trip to Ottawa and Mr. Mullen is at Toronto. So that the ideal Social Credit candidate might be selected in Lethbridge, three Cabinet Ministers—Messrs. Aherhart, Low and Cross—felt it incumbent on them to make the trip there from Edmonton.

During the present session of the British Columbia Legislature some questions have been raised about the character of travelling expenses, but no stress has been laid on the excessive expenditure in this particular. Our present Cabinet Ministers have a touring complex. Evidently they grow tired of their tasks and need constant change of scene. If their health benefits, so much the better, but it is not clear why the taxpayers should be milked so handsomely in order that the diversion of so constant travel should be enjoyed. The Cabinet has responsibilities and duties which its members can accomplish by sticking to their posts. It should be their purpose to save the resources of the public purse as much as possible by quelling their peripatetic tendencies. When outlays to provide recreation for public men reach scores of thousands of dollars annually, it is time to call a halt.

SNAP JUDGMENTS

It is symptomatic of how superficial thoughts are so eagerly imbibed in these latter days that almost any resident of this city, or of Canada for that matter, who has any standing in the community, can make a trip to the Orient, to England, to Africa, to Europe, to any part of the world, in fact, and come back and find himself or herself in demand as a public speaker. The cursory opinions gleaned are held, by some people, to be worth hearing. The speakers are feted and find themselves much in demand; their impressions and the conclusions they reach as birds of passage are listened to with rapt attention.

There is value, excellent value, in travel. It broadens the understanding, refreshes the mind and often gives a new outlook on men and affairs, to say nothing of an acquaintance picked up with the habits and customs of the countries visited. All this does give returned travelers something to talk about, but the point is that an unwarranted emphasis is placed on the conclusions they reach, more especially perhaps about the relationship of one country with another. A Member of the Legislature who made a trip to the Orient, for instance, says categorically that Japan intends to conquer and control China. This is a somewhat sweeping statement inasmuch as there is no reason to suppose that the speaker in question is in the confidence of the Japanese Government. His object in putting forward his theory is that in the event of China being conquered, as he says, then the conflict will be intensified between two standards of industrialism, two systems of government and two standards of wages. This perhaps is wholly true, but just exactly what can British Columbia do about it? It is a fact that has to be faced, and so far as Oriental competition in trade is concerned, because of cheaper production it has been a fact for a long number of years. What is quite another matter is that a tourist can only guess what is the aim of Japan's undeclared war against China. It is a wanton assumption to say outright that the conquest of China is the goal. Such snap judgments show how travel does not necessarily remove prejudice from the human mind.

POLITICAL JABBERWORKS

Alarmists are constantly telling people that they are "on the edge of an abyss." The prophets of woe have not the faintest idea what the abyss is, where it is located, how deep is the fall and what is at the bottom, if anything. Alarms and excursions are the daily pabulum of the Jeremiah and Jabberworks of the political and economic arena. They revel in dire foreboding, and because they have eaten sour grapes their desire is to set the teeth of others on edge. They tell of the future with the omniscience of self-centred sufficiency assuming a knowledge which is vouchsafed to none. Needless to say, such prophets of ill omen are lacking in spiritual resources, else they would not attempt to destroy the faith of others. Their prognostications, even on the purely material plane, are all wrong, and if there is one place that their political and economic gospels are making least headway it is in Great Britain. Of the outlook there Sir Enoch Hill says:

"As a test of the stability of our national life, it is unmistakable proof that the average well-disposed citizens of small means, who form the bulk of our population, are looking forward to the future with collected equanimity in spite of the complexities of modern life. Plain John Bull is not going to be ruffled by the ominous rumblings of the outside world, but is going to be content in the security and comfort of his own home, the shelter and citadel of the Englishman's peace of mind."

In the United States it is illegal to buy or sell tickets in the Irish Hospital Sweepstakes. Mrs. Juliet K. Hammond, of Detroit, evaded the law and won \$75,000. Now she is being sued for \$14,120 by the Government of the United States as a tax on her winnings. Apparently it is no crime for officialdom to compound a felony.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m. November 29, 1937.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS: Pressure continues high over British Columbia, and fair, mild weather is reported on the Coast. Light frosts have occurred on the Lower Mainland extending eastward to the Kootenay, accompanied by fine weather.

It is becoming milder in the Prairie Provinces, with snow flurries in Saskatchewan.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES: (Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	—	40	48
Nanaimo	—	38	40
Vancouver	—	34	50
Kamloops	—	28	34
Prince George	—	10	26
Salmon River	—	30	36
Prince Rupert	—	38	48
Langara	—	40	46
Atlin	—	20	34
Dawson	—	14	2
Seattle	—	40	48
Portland	—	38	52
San Francisco	—	52	68
Spokane	—	28	32
Los Angeles	—	50	68
Penticton	—	30	36
Kelowna	—	31	36
Grand Forks	—	22	26
Ottawa	—	20	32
Kaslo	—	30	34
Cranbrook	—	10	24
Calgary	—	16	30
Edmonton	—	8	26
Swift Current	—	4	24
Moose Jaw	Trace	8	22
Prince Albert	—	32	14
Saskatoon	—	24	22
Qu'Appelle	—	04	14
Winnipeg	—	8	8
Sunday	—	—	—
Toronto	—	25	29
Ottawa	—	20	32
Saint John	—	38	50
Halifax	—	38	52

MONDAY: Minimum 39, Maximum 48, Average 43. Minimum on the ground 33. Weather, clear; sunshine, November 29, 8 hrs., 36 mins.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS: Victoria—Barometer, 30.30; wind, NE, 8 miles; clear. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.30; calm; clear. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.30; wind, SW, 4 miles; cloudy. Prince George—Barometer, 30.30; wind, N, 4 miles; fair. Langara—Barometer, 30.30; wind, SE, 22 miles; cloudy. Salmon River—Barometer, 29.86; wind, SE, 10 miles; cloudy. Atlin—Barometer, 30.30; calm; cloudy. Dawson—Barometer, 30.22; wind, E, 32 miles; fair. Portland—Barometer, 30.16; wind, NW, 4 miles; clear. Seattle—Barometer, 30.26; wind, N, 8 miles; clear. San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; wind, E, 4 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By Sandham Graves

A man ran from Bournemouth, Hampshire, to Paris, France, the other day to demonstrate his conception of international amity and good will. He had some slight difficulty in running across the English Channel, but solved this by running along the decks of the liner that bore him from Britain to France. On the docks at Cherbourg, he pranced up and down while customs officers gave him the once-over; and, indeed, they might have been pardoned for taking a second look. After again, the man raced along roads from Cherbourg to Paris, where he ended up at the Paris Exhibition, panting. Now that was a feat that should mean something. It is quite similar to those two fellows who drove a car from Alaska to New York, with potatoes, via the Pacific Ocean and the inside passage to Prince Rupert; only I don't believe they thought of running their car around the decks of the boat while at sea in that instance. It was a good-will tour, too, for all that, and would like to walk from Victoria, B.C., to Dublin, Ireland; that is, if I can find a plane that is going that way with a promenade deck. It is about time to reassess the Irish that despite their unaccountable forgetfulness in the matter of certain remittances that many people have made them, Canadians love them still; that we should feel honored to receive their note of hand in connection with charitable disbursements. Oh! Not for the sake of the money; but to promote that degree of international good will which is so essential to the progress of the world today. Personally, I would even react quite favorably to a non-starter; but I fear I shall have to walk there first.

According to an Associated Press dispatch, Evansville, Ind., has uncovered the meanest man. His wife testified in court the other day that he gave her a gross total of fifty cents in four years. That works out at twelve and a half cents a year! He was an Indian giver, too, because he schemed and schemed until he found a way of getting back the whole fortune, all of the fifty cents. He detected his wife driving his automobile and charged her fifty cents for his hire. The court adjusted the difficulty by giving his wife her freedom, all the household goods, and a little cash something to make up for non-support. It is perhaps as well; he might have driven her to the moon. The court adjusted the difficulty by giving his wife her freedom, all the household goods, and a little cash something to make up for non-support. It is perhaps as well; he might have driven her to the moon.

Many people will recall the balloon story by the author of "Fish," published recently in magazine form. Well, the runaway balloon part of the story has now come true. A runaway balloon with nobody on board drifted across the English Channel the other day, from Ramsgate to Signeville, with valuable meteorological instruments. It broke loose from its moorings, and was on a wild ride over the English coast, across the Channel and into France, with two miles of cable dangling from its basket. Royal Air Force planes chased the balloon, but the object of shooting it down, but darkness came, and the cable snapped under the strain. The cable snapped under the strain, and the balloon drifted into power lines and disappeared into a fire, sweeping machine stacks into open furnace gratings, and ash trays that allow cigarettes a better article. You can remark that anybody can get on, but it takes brains to make a better article.

Science is still hard at it, turning coal into rubber, fish into concentrated vitamins, and fish skins into leather, etc. Germany, according to recent reports, has developed artificial rubber to the point where for some purposes it is superior to the real thing. It is made from coal and lime and other processes capable of indefinite expansion under certain conditions. The use of fish skins for leather is not new, but the business is now being refined to the point where cod is selected for one type of shoe, and so on for another, and so on. Porpoise hide has been known for long as practically indestructible. The distillation of pure vitamins from fish oils is an American experiment, though patented by a British process, with some new developments. At present the distillation is by means of an expensive and complicated system where molecular action is induced, and a selection of molecules made under an ingenious plan. At the present end, however, vitamins in fish oils, and there are several of them, may be had almost in pure form. It is all wonderful; but somehow, I would rather sit down to a dish of fish, than to a saucer of oil or a capsule of vitamins. There would, I fear, be no true sense of repletion after eating a lounge. I should still want the meat; and the delight of taking the backbone out of a herring, whole.

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men have heretofore understood. It is probably not new that the drift of polar ice is towards the east; because we have had the emission of icebergs in North Atlantic lanes for years, but the rate of flow and attendant circumstances should yield new ground for fresh investigation and research. All this is at Canada's back door, and therefore important to us.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Glancing Over Sport

It seems that the golfing public will just not let John Montague, the mystery man of the fairways, have a chance to show his prowess with the driver, the iron, the mallet, and what have you. Saturday he went out with the famous Babes, Ruth and Dickrickson, and another female, and again his match was called off at the ninth by Referee "Scotty" Chipman when the gallery simply went "nutty" again. As Monty tried to play a shot on the fairway a spectator grabbed his club before he could start his down-swing and ran off amongst the crowd with his coveted souvenir. Before Monty will be able to show his golfing skill they will have to call out the Federal agents, all available police and the militia.

The juggernaut to the Rose Bowl will be downed, it is left to California to pick the grid opposition for New Year's Day. It's a toss-up right now between Pitt, Fordham and Alabama. I believe it will be students from Fordham. . . . Victorians are wondering what the trouble with Lynn Buxton is. His name is misleading from the summary of practically every Ranger game. I have been informed via the grapevine route that Lynn hasn't been well and therefore has seen little action so far. Billy Buxton goes against Speedy Doo tonight in Seattle in a ten-round main event. Buxton will stop the Filipino in about the seventh.—J.D.

Broom

"How did broom come to Victoria?" this observer asked some time ago. An informant who signs himself "Old Timer," writes: "On Beacon Hill, across Douglas Street from the top of Battery Street, near where stands the small club house, there used to be a bar, kept while horse racing was going on, and where lots of Scotch whisky was consumed. Whisky in those days was packed in chaff, and it was through that the broom came amongst the chaff. Anyway, it was where they opened the whisky cases that the broom was first noticed." . . . Thanks to "Old Timer" for this interesting bit of history. There have been a yarn to that effect that brooms were brought here by Scotch employees of the Hudson's Bay Company. This reporter would like to have any other comments on the subject.—B.G.

Causes of Fires

A recent survey showed the principal causes of fire in dwellings are sooty flues and chimneys, placing hot curling irons on wood or other inflammable material, smoking in bed, indiscriminate tossing of matches, improperly installed extension cords, throwing hot ashes in inflammable rubbish, tossing rags saturated with cleaning fluid into a fire, sweeping machine stacks into open furnace gratings, and ash trays that allow cigarettes a better article. . . . You can remark that anybody can get on, but it takes brains to make a better article.

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Tides in Victoria

NOVEMBER											
Time of tide (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of November, 1937											
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Letters to Editor

No letter to the editor will be accepted unless it is accompanied by the name and address of the writer. All letters are subject to condensation. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

FOR FORESTRY CAMPS

"Sir,—Please be kind enough to allow me through the columns of your valued paper to express my best thanks to the many citizens who have responded so generously to my appeal for books, magazines and other reading matter for the men in the forestry camps.

I am sure that the material donated will be very much appreciated by the men and used by them to good advantage.

Any further donations that may be sent to me from time to time at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, will be gladly received and forwarded to the camps.

JOHN A. WORTHINGTON, Alderman.

247 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., November 26, 1937.

TRADE AND TAXES

"Sir,—Major Orchard's letter upon trade is very timely. We may not know the conditions which caused Dr. Samuel Johnson's remarks to Bowtell, and may be sure that old philosopher was not referring to legitimate trade, but only trade used as a medium for gambling, just the same as wheat is used for that purpose at the present time, although it does not affect the real genuine wheat trade.

I think the retailers of Victoria seem to be going the wrong way to work to improve matters by complaining to the public by advocating forcible by-laws against some of their fellow traders who sell a few articles at cost, or at a loss purposely to soak their customers in their many other requirements. The by-law, or laws, if effective to hinder it, would only cause a monopoly in the retail trade and make it worse for themselves by more traders joining the monopoly, and it would end in it breaking down, as it should do. It would be far better for them to agitate against trade licences. Fancy paying a licence to get a living, which cost, of course, is turned over to their customers.

Then there is the iniquitous sales tax which the present Government raised from 6 per cent to 8 per cent. This means that the public pay 8 per cent upon every mouthful of food they eat, not yearly, but daily, also upon their other purchases. In this way dust is thrown in the eyes of the people by this tax, which, if they had to pay direct and separate in cash they would soon kick against paying. Also is it any wonder that the retailer is sometimes at his wits end to get a profit, as what with his many taxes, including 8 per cent on his rent as building materials, he pays sales tax likewise. He should agitate to stop these irritating taxes, municipal and government. Then look at the import duties imposed by the Government. All these the public pay and still over in the end. I am afraid the public are too careless to look after their own interests, and yet complain at the high prices charged, but allow themselves to be taxed upon every mouthful of food they eat. Don't forget the remedy is in your own hands. In my early days British Liberals advocated a free breakfast table. Have Liberals degenerated since that time? Do not think that I write Socialism, Communism or other fancy lingo that would only break down society and end in famine. I have lived long enough to know that the most liberal and progressive acts for the public benefit

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Brown Sugar, 4 lb. 25c	Utter Shortening, 2 lb. 25c
Valencia Almonds, lb. 75c	Utter Shortening, 2 lb. 25c
Ground Almonds, lb. 75c	Utter Shortening, 2 lb. 25c
Glaze Cherries, red or green, lb. 85c	Utter Shortening, 2 lb. 25c
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TO ENCOURAGE HOME BUILDING

President Roosevelt Asks Congress to Assist Expansion of Construction

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29 (AP)—President Roosevelt asked the United States Congress to cut the cost of home building as an anti-depression measure today—and Congress quickly showed a liking for the proposal.

In a special message, the United States chief executive suggested amendments to the Federal Housing Act which, he said, would have the down payment on small homes and reduce the financing charges on them, as well as on more ambitious structures.

He proposed, also, changes in the law to stimulate large scale construction of houses for sale and houses for rent, with a \$50,000,000 allocation from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to give the movement impetus.

WOULD CUT OTHER COSTS
As a supplementary project, Mr. Roosevelt announced he would hold conferences with industry, union officials and finance directed at reducing the cost of labor and of building materials. He blamed the high cost of these items for the continuing lag in construction and called the latter "one of the principal reasons" for the current business recession.

He said he hoped the total effect of this programme, one of several methods he has chosen for combating the slump, would be a boom in residential construction, spreading economic benefits in many directions.

DRAG ON INDUSTRY
The long continued lag in building is a drag on all industry and trade, the message said. "This presents an urgent problem which is the common concern of industry, labor and Government. All business needs the infusion of orders and the diffusion of purchasing power that come when building is thriving."

The President obviously is counting on other lines of action to halt the depression: tax revision, an immediate purchase of some \$245,000,000 worth of Government supplies, a reduction in Federal allocations for road building and a truce with the utilities that will encourage them to go ahead with long delayed construction programmes running into the billions.

MISSING TRAPPER REPORTED SAFE

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Nov. 29 (AP)—Edward Miller, missing since he left McBride, B.C., six weeks ago to take food supplies to his trappers, is safe at the Northern British Columbia town, according to word received here tonight.

Miller left for his trappers without snowshoes and was caught by a heavy fall of snow. He suffered no ill-effects from his experience.

Search was started ten days ago for the missing man when Constable Richard McKinley, of the British Columbia Police, left McBride with a rescue party.

Announcements

Owing to Her Many Engagements, Miss Hauman is unable to leave Victoria for the present to visit the Up-Island towns as she had planned, she hopes, however, to be free to do so in the near future. In the meantime, may she suggest that all who wish to make appointments should do so without delay, as the length of time her work may detain her Up-Island is indefinite. Telephone G 7642, 503 Bayward Bldg.

Christmas Greeting Cards—Remember your friends and acquaintances at the Yuletide season through the medium of your personal greeting. Our selections are large and complete, and we invite your inspection. The Colonist Commercial Printing Department.

St. John's Ladies' Guild will hold their annual Sale of Work and Home Cooking in the Y.W.C.A., Saturday, December 4. There will be many fancy and useful articles for sale. The Lord Bishop of the Diocese will open the sale at 2:30.

Victoria Pictorial Orchestra Concert, Memorial Hall, Wednesday, December 1, 8 p.m.; songs, 'cello and flute solo. Tickets: Fletcher Bros., 35c, students 25c.

St. Mary's Ladies' Guild Christmas Bazaar Thursday, December 2, 2:30 till 6 p.m. In the Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay. Beautiful Christmas gifts, novelties, etc.

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City and District

Chimney Fire—The fire department responded to a chimney fire at 1719 Hollywood Crescent at 8:40 o'clock last evening.

Students' Council—Plans for a Christmas concert and dance are being made by the Students' Council of Victoria High School.

Passed Open Car—In Equinall police court yesterday, W. B. Kennedy pleaded guilty to driving past an open street car on the evening of November 20 and was fined \$10.

Articles Stolen—A. J. O'Reilly, 3616 Pleasant Street, informed police yesterday that a fishing rod, case, and an axe, valued at \$50, had been stolen from the hallway of his home.

Premises Entered—Freeman B. York's beauty parlor in the Hibben-Bone Building was entered by means of a pass-key Sunday afternoon. The cash register was damaged in an attempt to loot its contents.

Gives Address—C. F. Montgomery conducted the meeting of the Victoria division of the Young Citizens' League at the league headquarters, Sunday afternoon. He spoke on "The Socialist Movement, 1789-1914."

Clothes Stolen—Thieves who entered Eddy's Women's Wear at 1629 Douglas Street through the roof over the week-end, escaped with eleven dresses, six and one-half pairs of hose, scarfs and artificial flowers valued at \$130. The sum of \$26.35 was also removed from the till.

Awning Burned—A short circuit in wiring caused an awning outside the home of Rev. T. E. Rowe, 1126 Richardson Street, to take fire at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Firemen prevented the blaze from spreading to the house, but the awning was totally destroyed.

Refunding Bill—The bill for the purpose of refunding the bonded indebtedness of the city of Victoria

HAD FIGHT WITH TWO DETECTIVES

Man Arrested After Being Chased For Block on Vancouver Street

VANCOUVER, Nov. 29 (AP)—Bruised after a tussle with two detectives, Peter Kelly was held in jail here tonight on charges of assaulting a police officer, resisting arrest and obstructing police.

Police said the arrest of the man, who claimed to have once attended the University of California, was made in connection with a five-month search for a suspect in the holdup of several alleged gambling establishments here.

Detectives F. Maher and W. J. McFarlane said they overpowered Kelly on an East End school ground after a block-long chase. He was wrestling with McFarlane when Maher stunned him with a blow from a revolver that had been wrested from McFarlane's hand.

Van Mungo to Be Traded This Year

NEW YORK, Nov. 29 (AP)—Van Mungo, Brooklyn Dodgers ace pitcher, is on the trading block but he won't leave Ebbets Field unless the offer benefits the Dodgers. So says Burleigh Grimes, Brooklyn manager, heading west for the baseball meetings to start the work of rehabilitating Brooklyn.

IRISH FOOTBALL

BELFAST, Nov. 29 (AP)—Irish Football League matches played Saturday resulted as follows: Cliftonville 3, Coleraine 0. Larne 0, Linfield 4. Portadown 2, Glenavon 0. Bangor 1, Ards 3. Glenelg 1, Belfast Celtic 4. Derby City 3, Nerry Town 1. Ballymena United 5, Distillery 1.

Old Congregational Building Doomed



City workmen are demolishing the old Congregational Church building, shown above, situated on the north-west corner of Pandora Avenue and Blanshard Street. Plans for the seventy-by-seventy-foot church were drawn by the firm of Hooper & Watkins. A \$12,000 city-permit for the building was issued on January 22, 1903. Use of the church as a place of worship ceased in June, 1913, when the congregation moved to the building on Quadra Street at present occupied by the First Baptist Church. In 1925 the congregation amalgamated with Metropolitan Church, formerly Methodist, Metropolitan taking over the building. The last Congregational edifice was purchased by the First Baptist Church last year.

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TURN OUT CARS DESPITE STRIKE

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 29 (AP)—Milton N. Johnson, manager of the Ford Motor Company assembly plant, announced tonight fifty-two cars were turned out today despite a strike by the United Automobile Workers of America.

Informed of this production report, Delmond Garst, strike leader, said:

"I guess Johnson is proving one thing—that you don't need skilled men to build automobiles. If they built that many cars I'd hate to ride in any of them."

Garst charged Ford was operating with imported labor and not with regular employees.

Johnson denied this as he did also the union charges which precipitated the strike call last Wednesday—that the company discriminated against union men, fostered a company union and forced employees to sign "loyalty pledges."

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LOSES FIRST ROUND OF LEGAL BATTLE

NEW YORK, Nov. 29 (AP)—Gerardo Machado, former Cuban dictator, today lost the first round of a battle to escape extradition to Cuba on murder and embezzlement charges which grew out of the 1933 revolution in which he was overthrown.

United States Commissioner Garrett W. Coster denied a motion by Machado's attorneys to dismiss an application for extradition.

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL SQUAD IN FINE WIN

Displaying all-round strength, University School Ruggers blanked a lighter and less-experienced Duncan High School fifteen, 40-0, in an inter-school Rugby match, played on the local grounds. The score was 31-0 at half-time.

VAL D'OR, Que. Nov. 29 (AP)—Val D'Or, Northern Quebec mining centre, was linked by rail with the outside world for the first time today with arrival of the first train over the new Canadian National Railways' branch line from Senneville, linked with Montreal and Quebec.

ANNUAL MEETING TONIGHT
The Victoria branch of the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will hold its annual general meeting in room 304, Jones Building, this evening at 8 o'clock.

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City of Victoria

THE City of Victoria will authorize the refunding of the City of Victoria's debt will be considered by the Municipal Committee of the City of Victoria on Wednesday, 1st December, at 10 o'clock a.m., when an opportunity will be afforded interested parties to make representations and to express their views.

NEW MISSION BOAT FOR B.C. COAST

TORONTO, Nov. 29 (AP)—Purchase of a new eighty-foot mission boat, which will be named the Thomas Croasby and will serve isolated areas

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest



Venerable Religieuse Will Celebrate Birthday Today

Sister Mary Theodore, Eighty-One Years Old, Still Active in St. Ann's Convent and Academy Life, and Much Beloved by All

Congratulations are extended today to Sister Mary Theodore, venerable religieuse of the Sisters of St. Ann, who celebrates her eighty-first birthday at the old convent of which she came more than sixty years ago.

Born near Owego, New York, Sister Mary Theodore entered the Mother House of the Order of St. Ann at Lachine at the age of fifteen. Three years later she arrived in Victoria with the second party of Sisters to come here from Lachine, and has spent practically all the intervening years on Vancouver Island. By the older generations of pupils of St. Ann's, she is particularly well remembered and held in great reverence and affection, but she is also much loved by all the present-day pupils and their immediate predecessors, being a familiar figure round the Academy in her role of curator of the Museum of St. Ann's and in charge of the interesting little collection of historical treasures there.

As the pioneer Federation Sister responsible for the foundation here of a branch of the Alumnae of St. Ann's, a national organization, Sister Mary Theodore has been especially honored by the members of this body during recent years.

FLY LAST YEAR
Through her life, whether facing some new and strange pioneer emer-

The Queen's New Portrait



This New and Official Photograph of Her Majesty Shows Her in a Characteristic Pose.

War Refugees To Be Helped From Bazaar

Encouraged by the generous response made by their friends on a similar occasion a few weeks ago, the women's committee of the Chinese Benevolent Association have decided to hold another tea and bazaar at the association headquarters, Fisgard Street, next Friday and Saturday, in aid of the refugees from the war-torn area of China.

The affair is being organized along similar lines to the earlier bazaar, but on a larger scale, and with the additional interest of one or two speakers who have recently arrived from Shanghai, and an exhibition of photographs of actual scenes about the areas destroyed by airplane raids and high explosive bombs.

Mar Leong, of the staff of the Royal Bank, will formally open the bazaar early on Friday afternoon. Six stalls of beautiful Chinese embroidery, Chinese fancywork, Oriental porcelain, toys, dolls and other interesting and attractive articles will lend their decorative color. About thirty Chinese firms of the city have assisted with contributions. A sitting-room was used for the display of the many presents received by the young couple.

GENT-NOTT
A quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday evening at the home of the officiating minister, when Rosalie Caroline, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Nott, Gertrude Road, and Mr. Walter Kirby Gent, second son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gent, Belmont Avenue, were united in marriage by Rev. William Allan. The bride, who wore a navy blue ensemble, was attended by her sister, Miss Joyce Nott, in a rust colored silk crepe dress, with matching accessories. Mr. Edward Douglas Gent supported the groom. The young couple will make their home at 2719 Anquith Street.

Weddings

FORSTER-PEARCE
A pretty Autumn wedding was quietly solemnized at the home of Rev. T. H. McAllister, of Qu'Appelle Street, on Wednesday evening, November 24, when Alice Marguerite Pearce, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Pearce, Langford Street, Victoria West, became the bride of Mr. James C. Forster, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Forster, Grease Avenue, Saanich.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was groomed in a powder blue dress with hat and veil to match, with blue accessories, and wore a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Miss Mary E. Forster, sister of the groom, was matron of honor, dressed in a beautiful pink flowered dress, trimmed with brown and brown accessories with a corsage bouquet of roses.

Among the gifts was a silver sugar and cream set on a tray from the former associates of the bride at David Spencer, Ltd., where she had been a member of the staff for several years.

Hobby-Crafts to Be on Exhibition

A hobby-craft exhibition, under the convener'ship of Mrs. Maude Hammett, will be held in the social hall of the Victoria City Temple tomorrow afternoon and evening. Madame Le Huquet will demonstrate china etching; Mrs. W. Findley, spinning; Mrs. H. McClung, chamomile glove making; Mrs. I. Horton, weaving; Mrs. N. Brown, hooked rugs; Miss Tothian, pottery; Mrs. G. A. Hedden, wool carding; and Mrs. Maude Hammett, Ahmo rug weaving.

Afternoon tea will be served and articles of handicraft will be on sale. A small admission fee will be charged. The proceeds will be in aid of the W.A. of the Victoria City Temple.

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Clubs and Societies

Cowichan W.A.
St. Andrew's W.A., Cowichan Station, held its annual meeting on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. May. The officers' reports were satisfactory and the secretary's account of the past year's activities showed the members had taken an increased interest in the work of the branch. This was reflected in the treasurer's report, while the Dorcas work and extra-cent fund were outstanding. The rector took the chair for the election of officers. Mrs. Morris Wilson was chosen as educational secretary, while the rest of the executive were returned to office. The vote for the pledge was taken and \$10 extra voted to the St. Andrew's M.B.C.C. apportionment. The president expressed the hope that the branch would be represented at the W.A. corporate communion on St. Andrew's Day. Thanks were extended to Mrs. May for her hospitality, to car owners for transportation, and to Mr. J. Worsley, honorary auditor. Mrs. W. E. Cock-shott, former president, gave a helpful address on the subject "Prayer." The meeting was closed with a hymn, after which tea was served by the hostess.

King's Daughters
The King's Daughters' District meeting was held yesterday in the Rest Room, Hibben-Bone Building, when the district and circle reports were heard. Much work has already been done in caring for sick and distressed families, hospital visits paid, layettes given and many personal kindnesses done by the members of various circles. The rest rooms were open for twenty-five days with 1,296 patrons. These patrons had staged a games evening in the rooms, which was a success, and the proceeds were donated to the funds of the rest rooms in appreciation of the work done by the King's Daughters in providing this accommodation. Final arrangements were made for the Christmas bazaar to be held on Thursday at the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. Andrew McGavin will open the sale at 3 p.m. The following circles will have charge of the stalls: Ministering Circle, plain and fancy needlework; Ready-to-Help, afternoon tea; Hawthorne, Christmas cake; Fellowship, home cooking; L. H. Harde, touch-and-take; Speedwell, novelties; Jubilee, candy.

South Saanich L.A.
The bazaar held on Thursday afternoon, under the auspices of the South Saanich United Church Ladies' Aid Society, was a gratifying success. The ladies in charge of the stalls and the tea table were kept busy during the afternoon. In the evening, through the generosity of Mr. H. J. Pendray, Victoria, an appreciative audience enjoyed several reels of interesting travel pictures. The annual meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Rose during the afternoon of Thursday, December 9.

Club Meets
Miss Anna MacNeill, Tolmie Avenue, was hostess to members of her club on Thursday evening. An enjoyable time was spent in playing "sticks," after which refreshments were served. Members present were: Misses Lillian Braithwaite, Marjorie Seacrest, Mary Sparrow, Alice Dawson, Olive Chisholm and Doreen Petheridge. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Olive Chisholm, Haultain Street.

St. Saviour's W.A.
St. Saviour's Evening Branch of the Girls' W.A. will hold its annual meeting, when the election of officers will take place. The guest speaker for the evening will be Mrs. D. M. Duncan. The annual meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. W. Hughes, 415 Raynor Avenue, commencing at 8 o'clock. All friends and members are invited.

Court Maple Leaf
The regular meeting of Court Maple Leaf, No. 9202, A.O.F., was held recently when new members were initiated to the order and arrangements made for the bazaar to be held on Thursday at 2 p.m. in the hall.

Chummy Club
Owing to the W.M.B. concert to be held in the Sunday school hall of the Metropolitan Church, the Chummy Club will postpone its meeting until December 10, hoping that as many members as possible will attend this concert.

Canadian Daughters
The business meeting of the Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, will be held in the K. of C. Hall on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Members are requested to notice change of meeting hall.

St. Paul's W.A.
The annual meeting of St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church W.A. will be held in the guild room this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All active and associate members are requested to attend.

P.T.A. Activities

BURNSIDE
The Burnside association will hold its monthly meeting tomorrow at 8 p.m. at the school.

JAMES BAY
The annual Christmas bazaar of the James Bay Association will be held on Friday, December 10, and not on Friday of this week, in South Park School, and will be opened by Mrs. W. C. Moreby.

Dance Academy to Present Recital

The "Betti Clair" Dance Academy will present its annual recital on Friday at 8 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. Miss Betti Clair, teacher of the Showboat set, will present the baby waltz in pony song and dance.

Wilma Clifford, Lady Smith, winner of the grand prize on the 1936 Showboat, will be seen in her clever acrobatic dance. Enid Middleton, popular juvenile singer and dancer, and Iris Brooks, blonde tap dancer with the twinkling feet, will perform.

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That Body of Yours

(By James W. Barlow, M.D.)

WHEN TO USE A PAIN-KILLING DRUG

If one has a pain anywhere in the body it is only natural that he should want to be relieved of it; thus the taking of a pain-killing tablet or powder is almost an everyday habit with some individuals.

Physicians have frowned upon the use of pain-killers because patients would take a powder or tablet to relieve the pain and then send for the physician. By the time the physician arrived the pain would be "deadened" and no effort on his part would bring the pain back so that its cause could be learned. You can readily see, then, that in the case of an acute condition of the abdomen such as appendicitis, hours might be lost before the physician could be sure of the condition even if pulse were rapid and some "tightening" of the abdomen were present.

When the pain is in the head and some necessary work must be done, the use of a pain killer for the time being is only common sense. Similarly, when there is a severe burn

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MAY CALL VOTE IN FREE STATE

Government's Lack of Majority Handicapping Work—May Go to Country

DUBLIN, Nov. 29.—Prospects of another general election in the Free State early in 1938, about the same time as the general election across the border in Northern Ireland, are being actively discussed by politicians here. The Free State general election of last July failed to give President De Valera a clear parliamentary majority.

Threats of another appeal to the country have been made by Sean Lemass, Minister for Industry and Commerce, and Oscar Traynor, Minister for Posts and Telegraphs, in speeches to the Fianna Fail Club.

Mr. Lemass declared that in the present political atmosphere in the Free State important questions are being considered in relation to their propaganda value that in such conditions little of value can be attempted.

IN NEED OF MAJORITY

Mr. Traynor put it more explicitly when he said the Government had not got the working majority which it desired, and it might be necessary to go to the people in the near future and ask for it.

Close observers here, however, doubt the threat is likely to materialize within a short time.

Out of the 128 seats in the Dail, President De Valera now commands 67. But, in practice, the Government has managed since the new Dail met to have majorities ranging from ten to thirty, because members of the Fine Gael are slack in their attendance.

POINTED TENSENESS

Mrs. Newbegin had just made the acquaintance of Mrs. Suburbanite, and exchanges of confidences were being made. Each was wondering what the husband of the other was like. Mrs. N. put the direct query: "Is your husband a rather short man, Mrs. S?"

"Always," replied she with a significant sigh.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

(Mr. Culbertson is conducting, through this column, a national elimination at bridge players. Rate yourself by subtracting from 100 the points for each wrong answer.)

Question 28 appeared recently. It was:

Question 28—You are West, declarer in a three no trump contract. North opens the three of spades. Your hand and dummy are as follows:

WEST

♠ A Q 8
♥ A K 7
♦ J 9 5 2
♣ K 10 3

EAST (dummy)

♠ 6 5 4
♥ Q J
♦ Q 10 8 7 6
♣ A Q 4

South plays the spade king to his partner's three spot. As declarer, how do you play the hand?

Answer—The crux of this hand is to duck and concede the very first trick. Obviously, you must clear the diamond suit in order to make nine tricks. If you capture the spade king and lead a diamond, North, holding one diamond honor, will duck. South will win and clear the spade suit for North, while the latter retains his diamond stopper and entry. If you concede the first trick, you still have two spade tricks. Now, when South continues spades, you win and lead a diamond. If North wins he can clear his spades, but never get in again to cash them. If South wins, he has no spade left to return unless North originally opened a four card suit, in which case there is no danger of losing more than two spades and two diamonds. (For failure to play as described, take a two point demerit.)

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question 29—Neither side vulnerable. You are South, the dealer, and hold:

♠ A 5 3 ♥ K 10 9 7 5 3 ♦ 4 ♦ J 7

South West North East
Pass Pass 4 ♦ Pass

What call do you make now?

TODAY'S HAND

South, dealer—

North-South vulnerable.

NORTH

♠ 8
♥ K 10 7
♦ 9 3 2
♣ K 8 7 6 3 2

EAST

♠ A K Q J 6 3 2
♥ 5 4
♦ A 10
♣ J 8

SOUTH

♠ 10 9 7
♥ A 8 6
♦ K Q 5
♣ A Q 9

The bidding:

South West North East
1 NT Pass 2 ♦ 3 ♦
2 NT Pass 3 NT Double
Pass Pass Pass

Least readers conclude that the two diamond-bid-recorded above is a typographical error. I hasten to state that East made precisely that bid and that, under the circumstances, it was a beautiful trap. Seldom does a player have such an opportunity. Obviously, East's idea was to bid a suit that the opponents would certainly have well stopped. Thus, they would be lured into a false sense of security and contract for enough no trumps to ruin them. It should be noted that

Unofficial Wife

RAY AYRES

CHAPTER XXXIX

"It's all right, Funny One," Robert insisted gently. "Here, put this on." He took a coat down from the rack and wrapped it around Syrie's shoulders. "You'll catch your death of cold." He led her into the sitting-room and put her into the big armchair, standing beside her, still holding her hand.

She was trembling less now, and presently she tried to laugh and to excuse her fear. "I've always been the same—I was locked up once during a thunderstorm—when I was quite small—in the dark. I suppose that's why."

"What a damned shame," He gently drew his hand away and walked over to the window. "It's going over now."

Syrie snuggled closer into the coat and tried to tuck her bare feet out from under the hem.

"What about a drink?" he said, coming back to her. "You're shivering."

She made a little grimace. "That's just nerves. I'd rather have tea."

"All right, I'll put the kettle on." She started up. "I'll go with you." She looked at while Robert filled the kettle and lit the gas ring. He said, "This is your job, you know, not mine. What do you think I keep a wife for?"

Syrie flushed. "I'll get the cups." And then she said nervously at another roll of thunder broke the silence. "The storm's coming back."

"It won't hurt you, my child," he assured her. "What are you going to do when we're divorced, if you're afraid of being alone?"

She had to find another husband, she said with an effort, and then presently, "We shan't have our day in the country after all, shall we?"

"Not if the rain lasts."

Syrie sighed. "All the nice things I mean to do seem to go wrong," she said. "Oh, the kettle's boiling over!"

After Robert had made the tea, he said, "I've had an invitation—"

East correctly figured that he himself could not go to game. True, he had eight solid tricks, but he would have to pick up two top tricks in partner's hand, a very unlikely contingency, considering South's vulnerable no trump. South's bidding was, of course, somewhat open to censure, since he had no spade stopper. But, in fairness, I have seen many worse rebids than South's. He could have doubled two diamonds, but the opponents were not vulnerable and he himself was. He had a splendid fit with partner's club bid and it was not unnatural that he found no great heart to lead in the spade situation. The suit had not been bid adversely and there was, of course, a good chance that North had a single stopper. So much for the bidding.

East was, figuratively, rubbing his hands, waiting for the opening diamond lead when, to his horror, his partner, who he had gone into a long huddle, apparently decided that he would make a "surprise attack." "Reasoning" that declarer had diamonds well stopped, West led out the heart queen. East almost had apoplexy as declarer won with the ace and immediately returned a heart to lead the king-ten, finessing against the jack. Six club tricks then were run off, while East futilely discarded four of his lovely spades. I cannot report what East said to West!

TUESDAY'S HAND

Match point duplicate.

North, dealer—

Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH

♠ A J 8
♥ A 9
♦ 9 8 6 4 2
♣ 10 4

EAST

♠ K 6 5 3 2
♥ 10 7 3
♦ K 8 2
♣ 7

SOUTH

♠ 9 7
♥ K 8 6
♦ A Q 5 4
♣ J 10 3

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in Tuesday's article.

SELLING WORK MADE BY BLIND

Clever Craftsmanship Seen in Articles Offered at Spencer's This Week

The parable of the talents is beautifully exemplified in the work of a craftsman shown at the annual Christmas sale of work made by some of the blind people of Victoria.

Sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind in Victoria, the sale opened yesterday in the boys' department of David Spencer, Limited, store, Government Street, and will continue until the end of the week.

The deftness of hand and sensibility of touch are nowhere better illustrated than in the work of a young man who is not only blind but has one paralyzed hand. Yet he has sent in several purses of hand-woven material made by himself and finished with neat zipper fastenings, with a number of strong and practical string bags splendid in the design, carrying oranges or other large fruit, and various uses that will suggest themselves. Another worker has on display novel metal belts and bracelets. Made from small aluminum disks cleverly hinged together and enamelled in different colors, these lend themselves well to sports and semi-sports wear.

ATTRACTIVE ARTICLES

Among the other attractive things shown are heavy woven woollen belts, firm and dense. Also suitable for sports frocks, these come in different colorings, or orders for any given color will be worked up. There are hot-water bag covers knitted by an octogenarian. In the wickerware section are dolls' cradles; coffee tables, the top a round wooden tray bound with wicker and with folding plain or varnished and ready for use; wicker flash carriers, market baskets; bed trays.

The leather work embraces a wide selection of neatly-made bookcovers, mah jong scores and bridge scores, sewing kits for flower pots, shoe polishers, key rings, small or big billfolders—coin purses, attractive little "owl" purses for children, blotters and other articles. Rubber door mats, children's stools are also in the collection.

CRIPPLED BY PAINS IN THE LEGS

Physical Instructor Loses Use of Limbs

If rheumatism is crippling your limbs, and making life miserable for you, read how this man obtained relief from the same trouble.

"I am a swimming and physical instructor. Early this year I had been climbing stairs in my legs from the hips to the big toe. In the mornings, I could not walk for three or four hours. Massage oil, pills, etc., did me no good. Someone begged me to take Kruschen Salts. I had taken three parts of the contents. I was as fit as ever, except for a little stiffness of the joints while in general health I was far better. Kruschen has put me on my feet again."—J.L.S.

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Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

CHRISTMAS MAILING DATES

Australia and New Zealand, 11:15 a.m., Dec. 1. N. Maritima, via San Francisco, due Auckland Dec. 21; due Sydney Dec. 27.
Hankow and China, 1 p.m., Dec. 1. N. President Grant, due Dec. 31.
Europe generally, 1 p.m., Dec. 9. via New York, due Cherbourg Dec. 20.

hundred blind of Vancouver Island. A different group of ladies will take charge of the shop each day, yesterday Mrs. W. Hobart Mosson, Mrs. C. J. Rankin, Mrs. M. Rowan and Miss N. Hensley being on duty to take the supplies over as they were brought in by Miss Gladys Stark, who has charge of collecting the crafts from the workers.

The committee wished to remind the public that the proceeds from the sale of the individual articles goes direct to the blind person who makes them, without deductions or commissions.

Use QUAKER Natural Bran FOR Tasty BRAN MUFFINS

Considerable interest in Victoria and Vancouver Island has been aroused in Indianapolis, U.S.A., by a showing of motion picture films sponsored by Ronald M. Grant, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grant, Link-lea Avenue, Oak Bay.

Some time ago Mr. Grant wrote to the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau and obtained three of the bureau's films of the Island. He is attending Lincoln Chiropractic College and the films were shown by his fraternity on its machine to

about two hundred persons, by whom the pictures were well received. Mr. Grant hopes to have the films shown in the Chamber of Commerce there.

He has also been successful in having a fine picture of the Inner Harbor and Parliament Buildings reproduced in The Indianapolis Sun-Victoria as a tourist resort.

day Star, and hopes to have other attractive pictures of the city and Island published later. He states that he has received many inquiries regarding tourist facilities on the Island and for information concerning Coast trips, and is doing everything possible to promote interest in Victoria as a tourist resort.

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SEEK KEY TO ANCIENT ART

Ohio State Museum Opening Laboratory to Revive Flint Chipping

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—An attempt to "rediscover" the lost art of flint-chipping, brought to an astonishing degree of perfection by pre-historic man on the American Continent, has been announced by the Ohio State Archeological and Historical Society here.

Henry Clyde Shetrone, director of the Ohio State museum, announced a "lithic laboratory" for the Eastern United States will be established shortly in the museum in an effort to duplicate the flint chipping art. Shetrone recently returned from a tour of England and France, where he studied the techniques used in working flint and other lithic materials. He made moving pictures of the so-called flint-knappers of Brandon, England, where the manufacture of gunflints has been pursued for centuries.

AFRICAN TECHNIQUE
The trade at Brandon now is principally with native East African tribes and Asiatic inlanders.

The purpose of Shetrone's visit was to study techniques supposedly common to all flint chippers, including pre-historic man.

"Flint chipping probably should be called a neglected rather than a lost art," Shetrone said. "It isn't that we don't know how to chip flint; certain techniques just defy our skill."

He displayed a thin, delicately-cut flint knife blade of American origin as an example of this.

"Just how these blades were cut defies our knowledge," Shetrone said. "Even with metal tools, which pre-historic man did not possess, we cannot duplicate the thinness."

SHOW HIGHEST SKILL
While these objects apparently are the oldest man-made things in America, they show evidence of the highest skill," he said.

Shetrone said the discovery in the Southwest of a distinctive type of flint implement in association with the skeletal remains of extinct mammals beneath the earth deposited by the last glacial invasion promises "to thrust back the human horizon—just how far back into the past remains to be seen."

It was previously believed, Shetrone said, that the American continents were not inhabited by man until the recession of the glaciers some 10,000 to 25,000 years ago.

The discovery of this unique type of implement—called "Folsom" after the town in New Mexico near which the implements first were uncovered, indicates that certain animals such as the ground-sloth, bison, muskox and mammoth survived later than was previously supposed and that man existed earlier than formerly was believed.

COMMON CULTURE
In addition, folsom-type implements have been uncovered in widely separated places, including Ohio, indicating that early man shared, to some extent, a common culture. Prior to the discovery it was thought scattered groups lived in ignorance of the other's existence.

The plan to establish the lithic laboratory here was evolved by the American Anthropological Association because of the nearness to the famous flint ridge and the society's extensive research. The museum contains the world's largest collection of the mound builders' work.

Lithic collections will be sent here from other states and will be displayed at the museum. The museum plans to employ a young archeologist to carry on the flint-chipping experimentation.

Department Thanked By Pensioners' Body
At the monthly meeting of the Canadian Pensioners' Association of the Great War held Saturday evening at 225 Pemberton Building, a resolution was passed—extending thanks to the Federal Department of Militia and Defence "for the employment granted to ex-servicemen on the defence works at Albert Head, which will greatly assist them to re-establish themselves."

The members were opposed to the granting of any timber concessions to the Japanese in the Province of British Columbia.

The annual Christmas tree will be held this year on Friday, December 24, in the Pemberton Building.

President S. Saunders was in the chair.

"AS SHE IS SPOKE"
What is a poor foreigner to do with the English language? Here are three verses taken from a limerick printed recently in a daily newspaper. Try it for yourself!

A young man with plenty of dough Went out with his girl for a rough; But the creek was so high The girl said, "Oh, might!"

I think we had better not gough. But the young man replied, with a cough, That he never was given to scough. And would swear that the barque Was safe for a lough.

And he thought they had better be cough. They came to a bridge and went through. Where they had a most beautiful view. Of the great water tower. And they stayed there an hour. (It was late, or they might have stayed longer.) Well, we ask you!

In Dramatic Vehicle



Gabriel Dell, Leo Gorcey, Sylvia Sidney, Bernard Punsey and Bobby Jordan Are Shown in a Scene From "Dead End," Which Is Now Showing at the Plaza Theatre.

At the Theatres

PRISON STORY IS DOMINION VEHICLE

"Alcatraz Island" Is Dramatic Tale of Penitentiary Featuring Powerful Cast

"Alcatraz Island," which opens today at the Dominion Theatre, isn't altogether a prison story. It would be too drab if it were. Oat Brady (Litel) has a daughter whom he has kept in private school before his arrest, and who knows nothing about his means of livelihood.

The yarn concerns itself with how the girl (Mary Maguire) falls in love with the District Attorney (Gordon Oliver) who has sent her away, and how Mary and Gordon rally to his rescue at his trial for life.

"Alcatraz Island" is a complete novelty as a movie, and has a smashing climax which straightens everything out in a logical manner.

OAK BAY Triple threats to gloom, theatre, the Ritz Brothers are featured with Alice Payne and Don Ameche in "You Can't Have Everything," now at the Oak Bay Theatre. Charles Winninger, Louise Hovick, Rubino and his violin, and Tony Martin are also in the cast.

ATLAS Raymond Massey, renowned London and Hollywood screen star, is currently appearing as "Black Michael," in David O. Selznick's "The Prisoner of Zenda," with Ronald Colman, Madeleine Carroll and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., at the Atlas Theatre.

CAPITOL Teaming Robert Montgomery and Rosalind Russell for the third time, with Robert Benchley featured in one of his funniest characterizations, the new M-G-M comedy, "Live, Love and Learn," is now showing at the Capitol Theatre.

COLUMBIA The howlingly hilarious—minution of a fast-and-furious feud—"Wake Up and Live," now at the Columbia Theatre, features Walter Winchell and Ben Bernie, with Alice Payne, in a musical triumph, with Jack Haley, Patsy Kelly and Ned Sparks also on hand.

PLAZA Twenty-four hours of thrilling life in a city street at the river's edge are brilliantly depicted in Samuel Goldwyn's "Dead End," starring Sylvia Sidney and Joel McCrea at the Plaza Theatre. Humphrey Bogart and Claire Trevor are also prominently featured in this film based on the famous Broadway stage hit by Sidney Kingsley.

ATLAS WILL HOLD KIDDIES' MATINEES

Matinee shows for children will be held at the Atlas Theatre next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and 10:30 o'clock, in aid of the school.

Distinguished Leader Of Symphony Group



BASIL CAMERON—English conductor of the Seattle Symphony Orchestra, which plays at the Royal Victoria Theatre this evening, is shown above. Dr. Cameron again especially requests that all ticket holders be seated at 8:30 o'clock promptly.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Stage
Royal Victoria—Seattle Symphony Orchestra.

On the Screen
Atlas—"The Prisoner of Zenda," starring Ronald Colman.
Capitol—"Robert Montgomery in 'Live, Love and Learn'."

Columbia—"Wake Up and Live," starring Ben Bernie.
Dominion—Ann Sheridan in "Alcatraz Island."

Oak Bay—"You Can't Have Everything," starring Don Ameche.
Plaza—Sylvia Sidney in "Dead End."

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A Western picture and cartoon will be shown and Popeye will be there in person to distribute candy to the children.

The Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter spends \$139.50 each month for milk which is supplied to 233 school children and requests for more milk are still being made.

What Today Means

"SAGITTARIUS"

If November 30 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m., from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m., and from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:45 to 9:45 a.m., from 5:45 to 7:45 p.m., and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

Irresponsibility will be the besetting sin this day, and the results are apt to be far-reaching, so it will be wise for you not to shirk any duty. Carelessness in handwriting may require considerable time spent in endeavoring to decipher it. Many inexpedient means are likely to be employed to stimulate business, and to get favors granted, for influences prevail conducive to poor judgment being used in both respects. Be on your guard against mistakes occurring in calculations, for through this medium losses may be sustained by entering into unprofitable contracts. Be sure to express your appreciation in unmistakable words for any kindness you might be the recipient of, because the average doer of good deeds this day may take peculiar notions regarding how his actions are received. Married and engaged couples, as well as those who are conscious of the mighty influence of love, might discover that intuition is a good thing to be guided by this day, particularly in matters concerning social activities.

If a woman, and November 30 is your birthday, your material possessions are likely to be substantially increased, but it will be through an increase of spiritual knowledge that your happiness can be strengthened and redoubled. Your progressive advancement seems to depend largely upon your intellectual growth, so it is up to you to make good use of the fine mind with which it appears you

COLUMBIA
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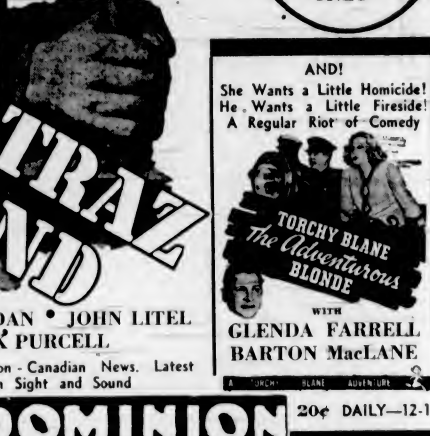
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"Look here, my man, it seems to me that you're very careful of your safety. I'll give you a couple of shillings extra if you'll hurry."
"Shure, yer honor," replied the jarvey, "an' what's all the money in the world to a man whose wife's a widow?"

COULD NOT BE DONE

MARINE, RAIL and AIR

KEPT AFLOAT
BY FIR TIESBuoyance of Cargo Enabled
Salvors to Tow Ship
Into Port

T. C. Workman, representing the London Salvage Association, who visits many out-of-the-way places in the execution of his duties, was an arrival in Victoria aboard the Empress of Russia yesterday, returning from Japan, where he had gone to survey a British freighter, which had gone ashore several hundred miles from Yokohama.

Her holds loaded with fir ties and carrying a deckload of logs, the Essex Manor went aground on a rocky shore and sustained considerable damage. The Nippon Salvage Company, Mr. Workman said, had done a smart bit of salvage work in floating the vessel and getting her to Yokohama.

When the Essex Manor was put into drydock for survey, she was found to be badly holed, so bad, in



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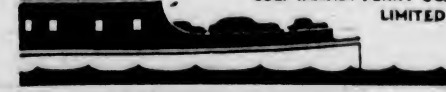
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WHITEHORSE
BUSY PLACENobody Idle Last Season—
Four Air Lines Use Modern
Airport

Captain "Paddy" Martin, who long ago quit a seafaring life to settle down at Whitehorse, where he went into business for himself and prospered fairly well, is a visitor to Victoria and expects to remain all winter. Captain "Paddy," as he is known from one end of the Yukon to the other, has been in the habit of locking up his store and taking a holiday outside. Two winters ago he went East, and the last one he spent in California, reaching San Francisco during the coldest spell the Golden Gate city had experienced over sixty years.

Whitehorse was a busy place all last summer, Captain Martin stated yesterday. From the day the season opened until it closed, there wasn't an idle man in his part of the territory, and they got plenty of overtime as well. Everyone in the North is also optimistic about a still more prosperous year in 1938, he stated.

Enthusiastic over the benefits which will accrue to Whitehorse as an airport centre in the future, Captain Martin said that four air lines are regularly using the fine airport which is being developed there. The new method of transport is a decided contrast to the principal ones in vogue when he first decided to throw in his lot with the little town at the head of Yukon navigation.

CREW OF SHIP
ARE REUNITEDCaptain and Men of Nollington
Court Together in
Kingston

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 29 (AP).—Captain and crew of the British freighter Nollington Court, that grounded on rocks off Tortuga Island, were together again tonight in Kingston.

Captain Ford and sixteen members of the freighter's crew remained on board the Nollington Court after the British freighter Chagres took off eighteen other crew members last Thursday, arrived Saturday aboard the tug Killarney.

The captain of the Nollington Court told how their disabled ship grounded on rocks off the island shortly after the Chagres took the eighteen members of the crew off and brought them to Kingston last Friday.

The skeleton crew fought for two days to keep the freighter afloat before it became apparent she was doomed. The captain tried to signal the Chagres, standing off at the time, to avoid the treacherous rocks.

The ship began to break up, but the tide started to ebb and the sixteen crew members and their captain were able to wade to the shore, twelve miles away. They were slightly injured by falls on the journey.

The captain and crew went without food and good drinking water for some time on the uninhabited section of the island, until the Killarney sighted them Friday. They were taken aboard the tug and brought here yesterday.

The Nollington Court struck a submerged object off Tortuga Island, early last Tuesday night.

Little Schooner
Of Newfoundland
Port Is Overdue

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 29 (AP).—Fears grew today for safety of the little schooner A. Hubley, as she went unreported for the eleventh day on a trip from Catalina to Groat's Island.

Besides Captain A. Seward, the Hubley carried a crew of three, the captain's son, Walter, Pierre Ross,



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VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Nov. 29 (AP).—The motorship Hoegh will arrive at Vancouver next Wednesday to load for Dutch East Indies and South Africa.

Longwall Cotts reported today. The vessel has stopped at Esquimalt for cleaning and painting, her usual berth at the Burrard Drydock Co. North Vancouver, being occupied by the Norwegian freighter Soloy.

The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia arrived here tonight from the Orient.

ARRIVED FROM
BRITISH PORTSFurness Line Ms. Pacific
Exporter in Overnight
With Cargo

Coming in from the United Kingdom by way of Panama, California and Washington ports, the Furness Line Ms. Pacific Exporter arrived alongside Rithet Piers overnight. The combined freight and passenger ship had passengers and cargo aboard. Passengers included Miss M. L. Croxford, Mrs. F. Greenhalgh and Mrs. M. A. Holloway. Miscellaneous cargo, including bananas from Central America and citrus fruit, was landed on the local dock.

NEBRASKA HERE

Inbound from European ports via the Canal and California, the Royal Mail Line refrigerator ship Nebraska was here last evening. She went to Ogden Point, discharged 125 tons of general cargo and loaded shipment of frozen fish for the return trip to Great Britain.

Attacked by Plane

MARSEILLE, France, Nov. 29 (AP).—The French freighter Le Zardieux, reported today an attack by an airplane fifteen miles northeast of Cape Cod, on the Spanish coast just south of the French border. The message did not say whether the 1,450-ton ship was damaged.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

BRITISH OVERCAST, east, light; 30-35; moderate. S.W. breeze.

LENNARD ISLAND—Part cloudy; north, light; 30-35; light breeze.

PACIFIC—Clear; north, light; 30-35; moderate.

CARIBBEAN—Clear; calm; 30-35; smooth.

CAPE BEALE—Clear; calm; 30-35; light swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

DALLINGTON COURT Bound Esquimalt for orders, 1,800 miles from Esquimalt.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE

ATLANTIC AND YUKON

1:10 p.m., December 2, via Vancouver.

4 p.m., November 26, via Seattle.

ALASKA AND NEW ZEALAND

December 4, Matipoua, via San Francisco; 4 p.m., December 22, Kaituma.

BRITISH MAILS

1:10 p.m., November 24, Nova Scotia; 4 p.m., November 25, Queen Mary, via New York; 4 p.m., November 25, Lafayette, via New York; 1:10 p.m., November 28, Montreal.

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FINANCIALLY
WORSE TODAYAssociation President Paints
Gloomy Picture of U.S.
Railroad Situation

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29 (AP).—J. J. Peley, president of the Association of American Railroads, told the Interstate Commerce Commission today "The financial condition of the railroads of the United States is probably worse today than at any time in their history."

Peley appeared before the commission to support a petition by the roads for a 15 per cent increase in freight rates. Such an increase plus limited passenger fare increases on Eastern lines, would boost annual revenues an estimated \$517,000,000.

The railroads, Peley declared, are "completing their seventh consecutive lean year."

"Kindness of railroads," he said, "are in the hands of receivers or trustees, thirty-six of them, class one railroads, operating 70,000 miles. Other systems are threatened with bankruptcy."

"The cause of the present financial distress is increased operating costs over which the railroads have little or no control, and decreased earnings per ton-mile and per passenger mile."

EDUCATIONIST
VISITOR HERERetiring Vice-Chancellor of
Hongkong University on
Way to England

Vice-chancellor of the University of Hongkong for the past fourteen years, during which time he had only one furlough, Sir William Horne is now taking a well-deserved vacation, at the end of which he will retire from the position. His successor, D. J. Sloos, of the University of Rangoon, being already appointed and in charge of the institution in the Colonial port.

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The question now is—what are you going to do about them? Let them lie loose in the drawer where nobody will see them? Or, will you fix them up to be seen as pictures should be?

The least you can do is mount them in an album so they won't be lost. And, if you have some really good ones, you might try your hand at enlarging.

Bad Cold Developed
Into Bronchitis

Many people have bronchitis and don't know it. Don't even know the danger of neglecting it.

Bronchitis is generally the result of a neglected cold caused by exposure to wet and inclement weather, and is a very dangerous inflammatory affection of the bronchial tubes.

Those troubled with bronchitis will find in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup a remedy that will help stimulate the bronchial tubes, subside the inflammation, soothe the irritated parts and loosen the phlegm.

Mrs. R. P. MacDonald, Nappan, N.S., writes:—"Last winter I had a very bad cold which turned to bronchitis. I tried different kinds of medicine, but none did me any good."

A friend told me about Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, as she had used it for her children with great success. I purchased a bottle and before it was used I got great relief; the phlegm was brought up easily without any hard coughing, and after using three bottles I was completely relieved of the bronchitis."

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—John van Guilder.

RUSSIA HERE
FROM ORIENTCanadian Pacific Liner
Docked With Passengers,
Mails and Cargo

Carrying a light list of travelers, the Canadian Pacific liner St. Empress of Russia, Captain J. F. Patrick, R.N.R., commander, arrived alongside Rithet Piers shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday. The liner was inbound from Far East ports and continued to Vancouver at 3 p.m. A number of passengers left the ship here, while mails and general cargo were landed. Officers of the Russia reported average November weather crossing the North Pacific.

Prominent on the liner's passenger list were: Sir William Horne, retiring vice-chancellor of the University of Hongkong, going to London; W. J. Fraser, former acting Canadian Government immigration commissioner, Hongkong; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Camidge and daughter, the former being manager of Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, Singapore; Surgeon-Lieut. J. C. More-Nisbett, R.N., proceeding from Hongkong to England on leave; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gibson, the former being counsellor with the Standard Vacuum Oil Company, Hong-

kong, and C. H. Archer, British Consul for Tamsui, Formosa, on home leave.

Others on the "who's who" included Mr. and Mrs. F. Chin Lu and Miss S. Lu, the former being Chinese consul at Chicago, returning to his post; Kurt Lutz, of Strauss & Eckart, New York; S. F. Morris, representative of L. Wolf & Co., New York; John Siegfried, director of Siegfried & Co., tea importers, Shidzuoka; T. C. Workman, representing London Salvage Association, Vancouver; A. K. Bradley and T. A. Pearson, of the Burnah Oil Company, Rangoon; Mr. and Mrs. M. Dandrum, the former being chief of French police, Tientsin, and L. Reiersted and R. L. Evans, of the Shanghai Power Company.

Escaped Ducking
When Plane Went
Through Thin Ice

GOLDFIELDS, Sask., Nov. 29 (AP).—Pilot Dan Lawson, of Canadian Airways, Ltd., and two passengers escaped a ducking in Lake Athabasca here, yesterday, when their plane's skis broke through thin ice. Wings and fuselage were held up by firmer ice.

Pilot Lawson flew 300 miles from Edmonton to Port McMurray, Alta., where he picked up two passengers and flew to Goldfields. The skis broke through ice at the plane approached Goldfields. The plane was damaged slightly.

HAS CLOSE ESCAPE
FROM MOTHER BEAR

CORDOVA, Alaska, Nov. 29 (AP).—Saved by his dogs, Alvin Dennis, railroad track walker, was in a hospital here today with a fractured right leg, mangled foot and dislocated knee after a battle with a bear.

Dennis said he shot an eagle yesterday, and, stopping to pick it up, nearly stepped on an enormous brown bear. She was accompanied by two cubs. Dennis said she grabbed his right foot, before he had time to shoot, and swung him several times against a boulder.

Dennis' two dogs routed the bear, and Dennis crawled to the railroad where he haled a train five minutes later.

TOLLED!

A traveler, seeking advertisements for a local paper, called at the village grocer's. Upon presenting his card, he was surprised when the grocer, a well-known proprietor, said: "Nothing doing. Been established eighty years, and never advertised."

"Turning to leave, the traveler said, 'Excuse me, sir, but what is that building on the hill?'"

"The village church," said the grocer.

"Been there long?" asked the traveler.

"About three hundred years," replied the traveler. "They still ring the bell."

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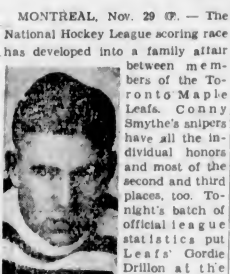
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STRICKLAND IS GIVEN DECISION OVER DELANEY

Drillon in Front Of Scoring Race By Three Points

Young Toronto Winger Has Fifteen Points to Top National Hockey League—Jackson and Horner Tied for Second Place—Barry and Romnes Lead American Division



DOC ROMNES

MONTREAL, Nov. 29 (P.)—The National Hockey League scoring race has developed into a family affair between members of the Toronto Maple Leafs. Drillon, who has scored eight goals and seven assists, leads the league with fifteen points. He is followed by Jackson and Horner, who are tied for second place with twelve points each. Barry and Romnes lead the American Division with ten points each.

Drillon's lead is not expected to be challenged by any other player in the league. He is a fast, agile winger who has been in excellent form since the start of the season.

The Toronto Maple Leafs are currently in first place in the Western Division of the NHL. They have a record of 12 wins, 10 losses, and 1 tie.

Official National Hockey League Statistics:

CANADIAN DIVISION

Player	Team	Goals	Assists	Points
Drillon	Toronto	8	7	15
Jackson	Toronto	7	5	12
Horner	Toronto	7	5	12
Barry	Detroit	6	4	10
Romnes	Chicago	6	4	10
Schmidt	Boston	5	5	10
Thompson	Chicago	5	5	10
Dillon	Rangers	4	6	10
Griffith	Boston	4	6	10
March	Chicago	4	6	10
Dumart	Boston	4	6	10
Cowley	Boston	4	6	10
Gottselig	Chicago	4	6	10
Lewis	Detroit	4	6	10
N. Colville	Rangers	4	6	10
Smith	Rangers	4	6	10
Tager	Boston	4	6	10
Pratt	Rangers	4	6	10
Watson	Rangers	4	6	10
E. Seibert	Chicago	4	6	10
Sands	Boston	4	6	10
Kirk	Rangers	4	6	10
Sgrell	Detroit	4	6	10
Aurio	Detroit	4	6	10

AMERICAN DIVISION

Player	Team	Goals	Assists	Points
Barry	Detroit	6	4	10
Romnes	Chicago	6	4	10
Schmidt	Boston	5	5	10
Thompson	Chicago	5	5	10
Dillon	Rangers	4	6	10
Griffith	Boston	4	6	10
March	Chicago	4	6	10
Dumart	Boston	4	6	10
Cowley	Boston	4	6	10
Gottselig	Chicago	4	6	10
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Starting Line-Up Of Victoria "Rep" Squad Announced

STARTING line-up of Victoria's "Rep" Rugby fifteen for Saturday's match in the McKinnell Cup series against University of British Columbia was announced yesterday by Coach Wally Bryn-Jordan. Sixteen players will make the trip along with the local coach and Major Stuart Robertson, manager. They will leave Friday night, and the following will travel: Jack Ferguson, Bill Brown, Harry Barber, Ronnie McConnan, "Buz" Brown, Bill Halkett, Wally Slupe, Vic Moore, "Buck" Buckler, Harold Corbin, Campbell Forbes, Jack Rutan, Ian Acland, Cyril Doherty and Doug Hatch. Bert Simpson will go along as spare. Bill Thompson, who was also selected, will not play against Varsity but will get into the second match against Vancouver here on December 27.

J. WORSWICK TAKES HONORS IN BIG EVENT

Carries Off Top Award in Motorcycle Club's Annual Reliability Test

Handling his 350 c.c. (21-inch) Ariel single machine with the skill and precision of an expert, Jimmy Worswick, a soldier-motorcyclist, Sunday carried off the honors in the sixty-mile annual reliability trial staged by the Victoria Motorcycle Club. Worswick collected 925 points out of a possible 1,000, and gained possession of the historic Brentwood-Cup and the "A.M.A." award for ability to negotiate the tricky sections along the course. Thirteen riders competed in the event, one of the stiffest staged by the local organization.

Astride a 61 overhead Harley, Reg Shanks completed the grind and gained 911 points, fourteen less than the winner, Johnny Norrington, with 899 points, placed third. He was riding an Indian 45.

WARDER NAMED BOWLING HEAD

Succeeds C. E. Rose as President of Victoria West Lawn Bowlers

Major A. A. Warder was elected president of the Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club at the annual meeting held in the clubhouse last week. He succeeds C. E. Rose as head of the organization. The new slate of officers follows: N. S. Fraser, honorary president; Major A. A. Warder, president; W. Wallace, first vice-president; D. Campbell, second vice-president; A. R. Hooper, secretary-treasurer; J. Davies, J. Walker, P. W. Wood, H. Baker, and C. E. Rose, members of the managing committee.

Trophies won during the season by the women members were presented during the meeting by Mrs. N. Dealy, the retiring president. The following received prizes: Mrs. J. Dodd, women's singles; Mrs. A. Hogue, Mrs. F. Randall and Mrs. J. Swartman, women's triples; Mrs. N. R. Hill and H. Tooby, Goodwill Trophy for mixed doubles; Mrs. N. Dealy and H. Baker, runners-up; In the men's section, the following gained prizes: J. Davies, runner-up; C. Fairall and F. Randall, men's doubles; C. E. Rose and T. Clement, runners-up.

Race Candidate Dies

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29 (P.)—Sunset Trail II, Irish-bred three-year-old of the Royal Weymouth stable and a prospective candidate for the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap, died today of pneumonia.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By Ripley



CHARLIE WELCH

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EXPLANATION FOR SUNDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Built An Auto Before He Saw One—The first automobile built in Alaska was constructed by Robert E. Sheldon in 1903 at Fairbanks. Mr. Sheldon went to Alaska in 1896 at the age of 14—before he had ever seen a "horseless carriage." A few years later he saw advertisements of autos in magazines, and from the general description he read and studied, he formed his own idea of a motor carriage. He took an old single-cylinder auto-marine engine of 3½ h.p. and placed it crosswise between the front wheels, powering the rear wheels by means of two bicycle chains and sprockets. He steered it by a long handle—as were most autos of that time—instead of the conventional steering wheel. This unique car is now in the University of Alaska Museum in Fairbanks, and Mr. Sheldon is United States postmaster in the same city.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Rangers and Maroons Play to Draw



The New York Rangers and the Montreal Maroons battled seventy minutes to a 3-3 deadlock in a rough National League hockey game before 14,500 spectators at Madison Square Garden, November 21. Photo shows Goalie Beveridge, of Maroons, safely resting on the puck after making a save on Smith's (standing over him) drive at the net. Wentworth, of Maroons, is keeping Beveridge company on the ice.

Pedens Tied for Top Position in New York Grind

Share First Place With the French Riders, Igual And Diot, as Six-Day Race Continues—Latter Pair Leads in Points—Kilian And Vopel in Runner-Up Spot

NEW YORK, Nov. 30 (P.)—The French riders, Emile Igual and Diot, and the Canadian brothers, Torchy and Doug Peden, ousted Germany's favored entry of Gustav Kilian and Heinz Vopel during the early morning sprints in the six-day bike race at Madison Square Garden today and took the lead at 1 a.m.

The three pairs had shared first place through the evening, but Kilian and Vopel dropped back during the sprints, which started at 12:20 while the French team took a slight lead on points.

The sprints were interrupted for fifteen minutes when Aldo Bini, of Italy, and Omer Debruycker, of Belgium, paired together, took a bad spill on a curve. Both returned to the race after they were patched up.

REGISTERS EASY BADMINTON WIN

Dropping only one match in the men's doubles, Brentwood scored an easy victory over Willows in the second division of the Lower Island Badminton League on the suburban courts, 15-1.

Results, with the Brentwood players first mentioned, follow:

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Mrs. Godwin and Miss Beaumont won from Miss Williams and Jackson, 15-10, 15-8.

Misses Murdoch and Carrier won from Misses Williams and Jackson, 15-2, 15-7.

Misses Murdoch and Carrier won from Misses Barker-Starkey and Beedham, 15-10, 15-4.

Mrs. Godwin and Miss Beaumont won from Misses Barker-Starkey and Beedham, 15-7, 15-7.

MEN'S DOUBLES

Douglas and Shade won from Phillips and Colclough, 15-11, 4-15, 15-10.

Godwin and Watson won from Phillips and Colclough, 15-12, 15-4.

Godwin and Watson lost to Beedham and Davis, 8-15, 8-15.

MIXED DOUBLES

Miss Murdoch and Douglas won from Miss Barker-Starkey and Colclough, 15-7, 15-7.

Miss Beaumont and Shade won from Miss Barker-Starkey and Colclough, 15-1, 15-2.

Miss Beaumont and Shade won from Miss Jackson and Phillips, 15-8, 15-3.

Miss Murdoch and Douglas won from Miss Jackson and Phillips, 15-2, 15-11.

Mr. and Mrs. Godwin won from Miss Williams and Davis, 15-4, 15-9.

Miss Carrier and Watson won from Miss Williams and Davis, 15-10, 15-8.

Miss Carrier and Watson won from Miss Beedham and Beedham, 15-11, 15-8.

Mr. and Mrs. Godwin won from Miss Beedham and Beedham, 15-12, 15-5.

Rain Halts Match

ADELAIDE, Nov. 29 (P.)—Rain prevented play today in the cricket match between eleven captained by Don Bradman and Victor Richardson. When stumps were drawn Saturday Richardson's team had made 380 runs for nine wickets in reply to the opposing eleven's 184.

The match was originally scheduled to end tomorrow but the time now has been extended by one day.

NEW ZEALAND BOXER PUNCHES OUT CLOSE VICTORY IN LONDON

Takes Main Event From Ontario Fighter in Ten-Round Bout—Eddie Wenstob Emphasizes Comeback With Victory Over Robey Leibbrandt—Ken Robinson Beats Ben Valentine

LONDON, Nov. 29 (P.)—Al Delaney, of Oshawa, Ont., tonight lost a close decision to Maurice Strickland, the New Zealand heavyweight, in a ten-round main bout on the Harringway Arena boxing card.

The fight climaxed a night of boxing in which four Canadians showed their wares in two London rings, but only one of them was successful.

Eddie Wenstob, Edmonton's heavyweight billed here as the "cowboy boxer," emphasized his comeback by punching out an eight-round decision over Robey Leibbrandt, South Africa's heavyweight champion, also at Harringway.

At Earl's Court Ken Robinson, Toronto, lost on points in a ten-rounder to Ben Valentine, of the Fiji Islands, and on the same card Stafford Barton, Jamaican middleweight, knocked out Yorkie Bentley, of Aik, Alta., in the eighth round of a ten-round bout.

HAS EARLY LEAD

Delaney led in the early rounds of his bout, fighting craftily to pile up points. However, he took plenty of punishment from Strickland while delivering his blows.

The New Zealander dominated the final rounds, rocking Delaney with a fusillade of blows to the head and body in the eighth.

The crowd both cheered and booed the decision. The referee had frequently cautioned both fighters for holding and wrestling.

Strickland weighed 187 pounds to Delaney's 181.

The aggressor throughout, Wenstob opened a bad cut over Leibbrandt's left eye in the third round and scored with a two-fisted attack in the sixth and seventh.

For Wenstob it was a labor of love. Before the fight he said, "I win I hope to get more fights, to make enough money to get married." The weights were Wenstob 176 and Leibbrandt 185.

Valentine, who weighed in at 162½ to Robinson's 160½, carried the fight to the Toronto battler, scoring repeatedly with lefts to the face. The Fiji Islander was troubled by a cut opened over his left eye in the fourth round. His footwork and ringcraft were generally superior. Robinson was game, but missed chances through hesitancy.

CITY SHUTTLE TOURNEY WILL START DEC. 6

Annual Championships to Be Staged at Willows Badminton Club

Open to members of clubs within a radius of twenty-five miles of the city of Victoria, the annual shuttle tournament for the city championships will be staged on the courts of the Willows Badminton Club from Monday, December 6, to Friday, December 10, both dates inclusive.

While the four larger clubs, Victoria, Garrison, Brentwood and the Willows, will provide the greater number of entries, the smaller clubs, and there are quite a number of them in Greater Victoria, will no doubt be strongly represented.

From Brentwood will come Joyce Thomson and George Lane, singles champions; the Sluggert slayers, women's doubles titlholders; and Drennan Hinks and Jimmy Watt, one of the finest of British Columbia's younger shuttlers.

LARGE ENTRY

The Willows Club will have a large entry, with Marjorie Hughes and Gladys McCall as their strongest bidders for the women's singles crown, and Don Davis, Ralph Bagley, J. P. Phillips, R. A. Phillips and Reg. Corfield as their chief threats for the men's crown.

Victoria Badminton Club will be represented with such fine players as Mrs. Young, Mrs. Foster, Des and Harry Bleasdale, Frank Tyrrell, Roy Hurdie, Don Fish and many others. Miss Doreen Swayne and Miss Nicholson, leading women players of the Victoria Garrison Badminton Club, are sure starters.

Among the men members from the Garrison who will go in quest of the titles will be Ross Hoelting, Marsh Gordon, Bill Dumber and Commander J. C. I. Edwards.

In addition to the open events, handicap matches are scheduled, and should provide some excellent competition.

Entries close Thursday, December 2, with P. A. Jackson, tournament secretary. Play starts on Monday, December 6.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Canadian Division

Team	W	L	D	P	Goals
Toronto	10	3	2	3	33
Americans	6	4	3	13	3
Canadiens	2	3	17	7	7
Maroons	2	3	17	7	7

American Division

Team	W	L	D	P	Goals
Boston	6	0	3	19	14
Rangers	2	4	13	14	7
Chicago	2	3	13	27	4
Detroit	3	6	1	12	24

BOWLER RECORDS UNUSUAL GAMES

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29 (P.)—While amazed spectators looked on, Sam Reidstra bowled a ten-pins game and followed it with a twelve-strike game for a perfect 300 here.

Bowling veterans said the performance probably was one of the most near perfect ever made.

Jockey Saunders Is Suspended for Riding Mep Poorly

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29 (P.)—Jockey Willie Saunders was under sixteen-day suspension today, charged with giving Mep an unsatisfactory ride in the second race at Tanforan Friday.

A few seasons back, Saunders, formerly of Calgary, was rated one of the leading riders in the United States. His greatest bid to fame was with Omaha which he rode to many victories, including the Kentucky Derby.

TIME OUT!

By Chet Smith



I Said Fifteen Yards For Three Men Offside—Five for Each Guy!

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



Telephone the Police Nothing, I'd Better Call the Doctor: . . . He's Eating That Pie You Made.

Jane Dixon Says:

NOW AND THEN TWO FAMILIES LIVE HARMONIOUSLY UNDER ONE ROOF, BUT IT IS ADVISABLE FOR NEWLYWEDS TO ESTABLISH THEIR OWN HOME, BE IT EVER SO HUMBLE.

Now and then there is a roof big enough to shelter two families harmoniously, but if the troublesome experience of those who have tried the one roof for two units is any gauge of the facts, a two-family harmony is the exception.

Adjustment to marriage can be made best away from the eyes and ears of others, no matter how near and dear those others are to us.

The tiniest nest, no matter how modest, with just "Me and Thee" is vastly preferable to the big house with the family.

Dear Jane Dixon:

"I'm in my mid-twenties and for the past several years I've been one of the girls who earns her own living. I earn it by real labor, too."

"A year ago I met a young man who is about my age, and have been going with him ever since. I like him a lot; he says he loves me, and he must because he has asked me to marry him."

"He tells me that he will make us a good home some day, and a home is what I want more than anything on earth. Now that we are engaged he has asked me if I will marry him at once, and the two of us work for his parents until we can afford a place of our own."

"I have told him that I didn't mind going on working after marriage, but that I thought we should work for ourselves and have our own place, even if it is only one room. You know how it is, Miss Dixon, two families living in the same place and keeping house together seldom get along peacefully."

"I care for this boy so much and want to please him—but still I know I'm right. We are no different from other young couples who have found out too late that things might have been different if they had gone to their own home when they married. I have nothing against his parents. We might get on very well with them—then again we might not. I feel we should not take that chance. Am I right?—Down-Hearted."

Answer: You are very right. You should stand by your preference for your own nest, however meagre, and the security it will afford you.

Since you are willing to work and do your share toward providing a place of your own, the young man cannot, reasonably, object to your stand. If the young man loves you as he should he will accede to your wishes since your sole purpose is to protect your marriage against pitfalls and possible disaster.

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SHORTHAND—"MAGIC, WINGED ART"

"By these marks," wrote the poet Ovid, "secrets were borne over land and sea."

It appears rather indefinitely that the ancient Hebrews, Persians and Greeks practised some sort of shorthand, which, from earliest times, has fascinated civilized peoples.

By means of shorthand, Xenophon, it is said, took down the lectures of Socrates; Luke reported the Sermon on the Mount, and the scribes perpetuated the Epistles of Paul.

Julius Caesar found Rome a city of brick and left it a metropolis of marble, but in the interim he gained

an acquaintance, upon which he prided himself, with the "magic, winged art," and conceived its place in the State so important that he initiated the system of reporting verbatim the proceedings of the Roman Senate.

The Emperor Titus, too, is said to have been a good shorthand writer, and by his time the "modern miracle," as we have always regarded the court reporter, was an established institution in the Roman courts.

There seems to be no question that a real system of shorthand, though quite different from those predominantly used today, was invented and practised by M. Tullius Tiro, who, two thousand-odd years ago, reported the famous Philippics of the "robust Roman" of them all against the conspirator Catiline.

Tiro was a faithful talented slave whom Cicero had freed. Out of gratitude, so runs the story, he reported in shorthand the orations of his former master, that they might be preserved for posterity.

Tiro's work gave a nudge to shorthand reporting as a profession, which has continued during the past twenty-odd centuries—to be recognized for the exacting abilities it demands of its practitioners.

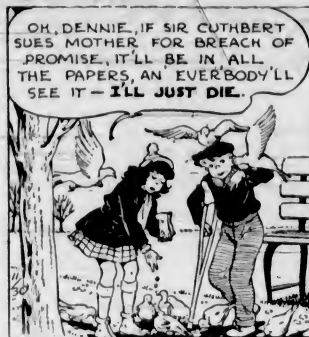
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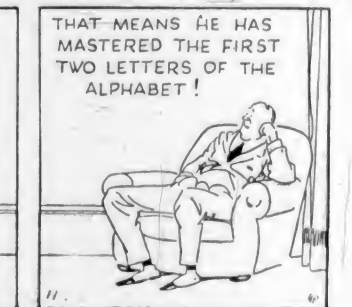
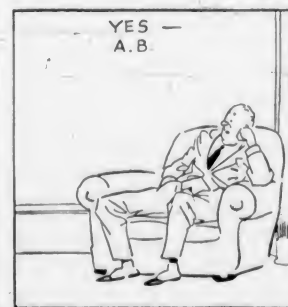
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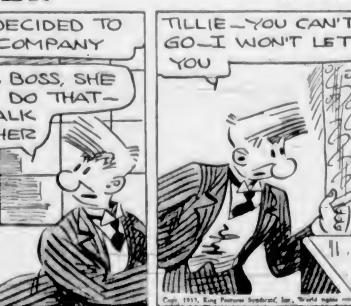
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TILLIE THE TOILER

She Could Do Worse

By Westover



DIXIE DUGAN

How Dare You!

By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel



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